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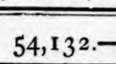

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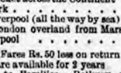

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CORRIGENDUM.

THE CITY OF BOMBAY IMPROVEMENT ACT, 1898.

NOTIFICATION OF A STREET SCHEME.
PAREL STREET SCHEME.
SCHEME NO. XXXI.

IN the Notification relating to the above Scheme, published in Part II of the "Bombay Government Gazette" of the 9th, 16th, and 23rd May, 1907, for the Boundaries on the East, READ "New Survey No. 2593" for "portion of New Survey No. 2594".

DATED 5TH JUNE, 1907.

G. O. W. DUNN,
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NOTICE.

MR. BENJAMIN PHILLIPS, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed died at Poona, on the 16th August, 1905, having by his will, dated the 11th day of December, 1899, bequeathed certain legacies to the Baptist Mission for India and to the Baptist Mission for Poona and Districts.

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HEAD OFFICE ORIENTAL BUILDINGS, BOMBAY.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED...Rs. 1,00,00,000
CAPITAL CALLED UP... „ 50,00,000

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The Bank grants accommodation on terms to be arranged against approved security.

The Bank undertakes on behalf of its Constituents the safe custody of Shares and Securities and the collection of dividends and interest thereon: they also undertake the sale and purchase of Government Paper and all description of Stocks at moderate charges, particulars of which may be had on application.

H. P. STRINGFELLOW,
Manager

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....£1,200,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL £600,000
RESERVE FUND £600,000

HEAD OFFICE:
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Calcutta.	Delhi.	Cawnpore.	Tuticorin
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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE Committee of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce have decided that Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 3rd, 4th and 5th June 1907, should be regarded as full weather working days, and Tuesday, 18th June 1907, as a non-weather working day for vessels in the Prince's and Victoria Docks.

The following vessels began to load yesterday :—

Steamer Director, for Marseilles, Liverpool, &c.
" Bullumbu, for Persian Gulf, &c.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

June.	Vessel.	From
14	Neumfels	Bremen
19	Thongwa	Straits
5	Clan Macfadyen	Coast
17	Shadwell	London

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

17	Jelunga	Calcutta
17	Pentakota	Negapatam
18	Gwalior	Rangoon
18	Prome	Cocanada
19	Hiroshima Maru	Penang
20	Cungella	Calcutta
21	Clan Robertson	Coast

The dates are approximate only.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P and O Co's steamer Peninsular, arrived from Bombay on the morning of the 18th instant.

MEN-OF-WAR & ROYAL INDIAN MARINE SHIPS.

IN THE STREAM.

R I M S Northbrook....Comdr G A Rose.....R I Marine
H M S Redbreast....Comdr W Hose.....R Navy

IN GOVT. DOCKYARD.

R I M S Hardinge.....Lieut Hamilton.....R I Marine
Three Torpedo Boats.....Royal Navy
R I M S Margarita....Capt W L Kelly.....Pearl Fishery
R I M S Investigator...Capt W G Beauchamp.....R I Marine
R I M S Mayo.....Lieut Hutchison.....R I Marine
R I M S Dufferin....Comdr H S Black.....R I Marine

VESSELS IN THE HARBOUR—June 19.

Baron Inverdale ..2140 Fullerton.....K N & Co
Caledonia.....3929 Tocque.....London.....P & O Co
Canning.....G Jivali
City of Madras.....McFee.....K Nixon & Co
Cromwell.....1927 Schiel.....W & A Graham Co
Clan Macneil.....2504 Olivier.....F Muir & Co
Director.....3168 Rickerstaff.....K Nixon & Co
Glenaffric.....3636 Craig.....T Morrison & Co
Inverness.....2401 Clarkson.....Forry Bros
Iran.....Peabody.....K Nixon & Co
Kt Errant.....4179 Kendall.....K Nixon & Co
New bridge.....2397 Nolumo.....G G Teipal & Co
Obra.....3521 Cammack.....M Mackenzie & Co
Queen Helena.....2755 Breaks.....W & A G & Co
Shahpoor.....1783 Foster.....Shah S N Co
Shanghai.....3566 Davison.....Shah S N Co
Umballa.....3426 Clouse.....M Mackenzie & Co
Upola.....3382 Stewart.....M Mackenzie & Co
Whitgift.....2842 Colter.....Captain

VESSELS IN DOCK—June 19.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Bkd.	Vessel.	Ton.	Capt.	Destination.	Date.	Agents.
A	Saxon	911	Prince	Stream	22-6	E & F S N Co
B	Chybassa	3985	Stevenson	Hburg	20-6	M M & Co
C&R	Merton Hall	3773	Prouse		20-6	K Nixon & Co
D & E	Aleppo	2200	Webster	Hull	20-6	F Muir & Co
F	Urlana	3384	Cole	Rangoon	23-6	M M & Co
G	Moshtari	111	Gore		23-6	B & F S N Co
H	Kola	510	Moxon	Busrah	20-6	M M & Co
K	Delhi	4783	Anderson	Shanghai	25-6	P & O Co
M	Geodhope	2308	Harding	London	17	W & A G & Co
N	Barbara	2544	Jens	Amouth	20-6	W & A G & Co
P	Loodiana	2124	Chidley	Kobe	22-6	M M'zie & Co
Q	Warora	2955	Keddie	Calcutta	20-6	M M & Co

H W P D

Punani	552	Leavitt	B'mayar	22-6	Bo S N Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

1	Courland	760	Ebrahim	M'Goa	20-6	Bo S N Co
2	Scindia	3106	Abrey	Lpoo	20-6	W & A G & Co
3	Clan Macgregor	2976		Antwerp	22-6	F Muir & Co
4	Itinda	3308	Allon	Cochin	22-6	M M & Co
5	Diego Suarez	3497	Bourepank	Mlles	24-6	K Nixon & Co
7	Muristan	1736	Morris	Hull	20-6	M Mackenzie & Co
8	Austria		Dilaffer	Kobe	26-6	A L S N Co
9	Clan Farquhar	3757	Darbey	Dunkirk	23-6	F Muir & Co
10 & 11	Marca	4151	Adams	Antwerp	25-6	K Nixon & Co
12	Oceana	1066	Hayward	London	22-6	P & O S N Co
14	Dwarka	799	Hirst	Kobe	21-6	M M & Co
15	Clan Alpine	2285	Green	N F		F Muir & Co
16	Bullmba	1867	Reddock	Busreh	24-6	M M & Co

DAILY EXPORTS.—JUNE 19.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Scindia s—3,240 tons oilcake, The New Mofussil Co; 380 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 1 bale cotton, Lyon and Co; 52 bales wool, *A H Bundaally*.

Merton Hall s—24,000 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers; 10,000 cwts wheat, Sanday and Co; 250 tons manganese ore, D B Lam and Co; 201 cwts nigerseed, Baner Crause; 2,800 cwts bonemeal, E C Nanjee.

FOR LONDON.

Oceana s—200 bales hemp, R Reeve and Co; 10 bales skins, M Joomabhoy and Co; 18 cwts candlenuts, Treacher and Co; 10 cwts bees wax; N M Jofer and Co; 1 bale carpets, Fleming Shaw and Co; 9 cwts fishmaws, K N Meanee; 3 cwts fishmaws, H A Mahomed; 5 bales skins, W A Graham and Co; 4 bales skins, M J Joomabhoy and Co; 1 1/4 cwts *ivory*, M G *Mohomed*; 3 *cwts ivory*, B E Passia.

FOR NEW YORK.

Oceana s—3 bales carpets, Fleming Shaw and Co; 107 bales skins, H M Halim; 2 bales carpets, G P Stavrides and Co.

FOR BOSTON.

Aleppo s—18 casks skins, H M *Halim*,

FOR GLASGOW.

Scindia s—2,142 cwts cottonseed, Ralli Bros.

FOR HULL.

Clan Macneil s—1,000 cwts castorseed, Volkart Bros.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Clan Macdongal s—25 bales twist, J A Begbie and Co; 250 cwts rapeseed, N Lalloobhai.

Director s—29,080 cwts wheat, L Dreyfus and Co; 8,000 cwts linseed, L Dreyfus and Co; 2,210 cwts poppyseed, L Dreyfus and Co; and 2,000 cwts rapeseed, L Dreyfus and Co.

Iran s—463 cwts nigerseed, David Sassoon and Co; 4,000 cwts rapeseed, John Fachiri; 2,000 cwts poppyseed, Volkart Bros.

FOR ANTWERP.

Clan Macdongal s—1,000 cwts rapeseed, David Sassoon and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Diego Suarez s—25 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 12 cwts gum, S Damjee and Co.

FOR HAMBURG.

Chybassa s—285 bales cotton fly, K Harmukhrai and Co.

Glenafric s—1,000 cwts poppyseed, Volkart Bros.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Merton Hall s—2,000 cwts bones, M Jamal; 1,824 cwts bones, R Kaderbhoy; 3 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.

FOR KOBE.

Austria s—1,500 bales cotton, G Dossa and Co; 771 bales cotton, N Futehally and Co; 600 bales cotton, Keshavdas Gokaldas and Co; 709 bales cotton, A Blaschock and Co; 307 bales cotton, F F Campbell and Co; 800 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.

Delhi s—300 bales cotton, D B Petit and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA

Austria s—1,500 bales cotton The Metsin B Kaisha, 100 bales cotton Glade and Co; 500 bales cotton The Japan Cotton Trading Co; 400 bales cotton, The Metsin B Kaisha.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Austria s—700 bales twist E D Sassoon and Co; 700 bales twist Sassoon J David and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Austria s—500 bales twist David Sassoon and Co; 300 bales twist Tata and Co; 300 bales twist, Sassoon J David and Co.

Dalhousie s—23 cases opium P and Co; 6 3-4 cwts almonseed, M M Essabhoy, 311 bales twist, P. B. Petit and Co; 81 cwts dry fruit, D N Shroff

THE IN-COMING MAIL.

The P. and O. Co's mail steamer *Egypt*, which is expected to arrive in Bombay to-morrow, brings the following passengers :—

Alpin, Mrs M
Ahmed, Mr S
Bridie, Mr B
Bonnaud, Mr A
Barrett, Mr C
Bray, Mr W S
Campbell, Mr J
Charanjit, Rai
Cunningham, Mr J A
Cargill, Mr W M
Dowhurst, Mr F F
Fogt, Mr George
Fane, Capt C
Grimes, Mr F
Hollisby, Mr J C H
Huffam, Mr W T
Kirley, Major S R
Kyan, Mr S
Lilley, Mr W K
Le Farne, Mr H
Lesker, Mr P
Lobo, Mr S W
Monk, Miss L M
Miller, Dr
Milne, Mr Jas
Molony, Lt A D
Olbon, Mr Geo
Ogilvie, Mr A
Perry, Mr
Purshotam, Mr G
Pearman, Mr B
Pearman, Mr W
Paterson, Mr J
Petyoh, Mr Lewis
Pandit, Mr D R
Rose, Lt A B
Robb, Miss
Roberts, Lt E D
Saunders, Mr G
Singh, Mr M
Scharren, Mr Theodore
Stranghan, Mr and Mrs T J
Setna, Mr P A
Terry, Mr A
Turner, Mr F
Thomas, Mr T S
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Price **Rs. 2 per bottle of 40 Pills.**

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No. 391, MARKET, BOMBAY.

Local Agents :—
Messrs. TREACHER & Co., LTD., Chemists, Bombay.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, *June* 19.] [BOMBAY, *June* 20.

FINANCIAL.

	Rates.	Plus	Minus.
2½ per cent. Consols	83 3/8		5/16
3 do. Rentes	94	un	chgd
3½ do. Sterling Loan	97 3/4	½	
3½ do. Govt Securities	64 7/8	½	
Bar Silver in London	31 1/16	3/16	
Do. do. 2 months' hence	31 3/16	¼	
Do. in New York	67 1/2	⅛	
Exchange on London at Paris	25·15	un	chgd
Do. do. Berlin	20·46		¼
Do. do. New York	4·37 3/8	¼	
Discount Bank of England Rate	4%	Since 25 Apl	
Do. Short London Bills, 3 months' sight	4	un	chgd
Do. Indian Bank Bills, 6 months' sight	4	un	chgd
Do. 3 Months' Fine Trade Bills	4½	un	chgd
Do. 6 Months' Fine Trade Bills	4¼	un	chgd
Interest Day-to-day Loans	3½	un	chgd
Do. 7-day Market Loans	3 1/2	un	chgd

Exchange on India, 30 days' sight (Bank's buying rate), ... 1s. 3 11/32d. unchgd.
Transfers on Bombay... Rs. 200,000 at 1s. 4 5/32d.

COTTON.

Liverpool—

Spots	...Quiet
Futures	...Quiet but steady,
East Indian	...Quiet
Manchester	...Steady
Total Sales	... 6,000
Sold on Speculation and for Export ...	500
Imports	...15,000
Mid-Americans	7·08 unchgd
Egyptian F. G. F. Brown ...	10 1/2 unchgd

Future Delivery Prices—

June-July	July-Aug.	Aug.-Sept.	Sept.-Oct.
6·53	6·56	6·46	6·38
+01	+01	+02	+02

Oct.-Nov.	Nov.-Dec.	Dec.-Jan.	Jan.-Feb.	Feb.-Mar
6·23	6·24	6·22	6·20	6·20
+01	+01	+02	+01	+01

New York—

Receipts at U. S. Ports ...	... 7,000 bales
Do. do. last year	... 7,500 "
Exports to Great Britain	... 4,000 "
Do. to Continent ...	... 7,000 "
Spot Cotton.—12·95+05	

Futures.—Month of July, +06 } Advanced owing to daily weather reports continue to indicate need of moisture and to bull support and short covering.
Do. do. Dec. +10 }

New Orleans :—
Spot Cotton—12¼ uncharged.
Futures—Month of July 12·70 unchanged.
Do. do. of August 12·50+18
Closing Tone of Futures.—Steady.

WHEAT.

Red Karachi—32½ New Terms—July-August—Antwerp—Done Canal.
Tone of Wheat—Firmer.

SEEDS.

RAPESEED—
Brown Cawnpore, 52½ June-July—Antwerp—Sellers Canal.
Tone of Rapeseed—Quiet.

Linseed :—
Bombay, per 416 lbs., ex-ship 48¼—June-July—Amsterdam—Sellers Canal.
Tone of *Linseed*—*Quiet*.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Coffee—
In New York Fair Rio (No. 7 quality), 6¼ unchanged.

Rubber—
Para Rubber 4/7½ Value.

Metals :—

Copper Braziers	£115 0 0
Yellow Metal	d. 9¼

Bar Iron :—

Belgian Ordinary Sizes F. O. B., Antwerp	£ 6 17 0
Iron Corrugated Sheets 24 gauge G. O. B. 4 2 F. O. B. Liverpool	£ 13 17 6
Basic Steel Bars C. I. F. India Net.	£ 7 6 3

ARRIVALS :—"Knight of the Garter."

SKIN SALES.

Sheep skin sale opened to-day.
Good demand.
Last sales rates.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY EVENING,] [19TH JUNE, 1907.

FINANCIAL.

Money :—
Borrowers for one or two months at 4 1/2 per cent. per annum.

Exchange :—
This being Council Bill Day the Market closed early as usual. Rates opened at 1s. 4 3/32d. to 1s. 4 1/8 T. T. for delivery this week, but after some business had been done at the latter rate, the quotation settled down to 1s. 4 3/32d. T. T. with little doing. Credits open at 1s. 4 3/8d. but soon after opening some Banks offered to buy at 1s. 4 11/32d. 3 months' sight and got any small lots that were offered. Far Eastern rates are steady.

We quote :—

T. T. on London	...	...1s. 4 3/32d.
Demand Draft	... ...	...1s. 4 1/8
Credits— 3 months' sight		...1s. 4 11/32d.
Do. 6 months' sight		...1s. 4 1/2d.
Do. 3 months' sight—Francs		171 1/4
Do. 3 months' sight—Marks		139 3/4
Hongkong—30 days' sight	...	161 1/2
Yokohama—30 days' sight	...	150
Shanghai—30 days' sight	...	220

Government Paper :—
The Market opened quiet at 96 7-8 for cash and settlement, but at the close rates are 1/16 lower. There has been very little done here to-day, and the weakness is probably accentuated owing to weaker Calcutta advices.

We quote :—

Cash	...	96-13 } Sellers.
1st Settlement	...	96-13 }

Bullion :—
The price of Bar Silver in London yesterday advanced 3/16 at 31 1/16 for ready, the forward rate being 1/8 up at 31 3/16. New York improved 3/8 to 67 1/2. Locally the Market has been quite steady, the ready rate of 78 9/16 ex-duty being unchanged at the close. Forward rates are also steady as under. Bar gold is unchanged.

We quote :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
English Bar Gold	24	1	0
Australian Bar Gold	24	0	6
Bombay Bar Gold	24	0	0
English Shield Sovereigns	15	0	0
English Dragon Sovereigns	15	0	0
Silver *ex* Duty—Ready	78	9	0
Ditto 1st Settlement	78	9	0
Ditto 2nd "	78	6	0

COTTON.

MARKET REPORT :—

Late last evening the Market for New Crop improved speculators having come out as buyers. This morning the tone was steadier, the advance in America tending to stiffen rates, and prices were quoted Rs. 2 to Rs. 3 higher than yesterday for June delivery, while New Crop showed an advance of Rs. 3 to Rs. 5 from the lowest point touched yesterday. Except in the bazaar there was little business doing.

For ready cotton there was a moderate enquiry at Colaba, and the weather being fair more business was practicable. Prices were steady.

New crop is firmer but prices are irregular and fluctuate almost hourly.

QUOTATIONS :—

	Rs.	Delivery.
Fine M. G. Broach ...	273	June,
Fine " Nagpur Kampti ...	227/28	"
Fine " Damangaum Pulgaon.	209	"
Fine " Khangaum Akola ...	204/5	"
Fine " Amraoti ...	204/5	"
F. G. " Khandeish ...	178	"
Fine " Khandeish ...	189	"
Fine " Bengals ...	187/88	"
Good Westerns ...	236	"
Good Saw Ginned Dharwar ...	246	"

Liverpool Opener :—

Opening tone	... ...	Firm.
Estimated Sales	... ...	7,000 bales
Total Imports	... ...	14,000 "

Future Delivery prices :—

June-July	July-Aug	Aug.-Sept.	Sept.-Oct.	Oct.-Nov.
6·56	6·64	6·54	6·46	6·36
+08	+08	+08	+08	+08

Nov.-Dec.	Dec.-Jan.	Jan.-Feb.	Feb.-March
6·32	6·30	6·28	6·28
+08	+08	+08	+08

NEW CROP.

Good M. G. Broach	... Rs.	257/8	March 08	
Fine "	... "	274/5	"	
Fine " Khangaum Akola	"	220/21	Jan. 08	
" " Bengals	... "	201	"	
Fully Good M. G. Khandeish	"	201	"	
Fully Good H. G. Bengals...	"	194/5	"	

MISCELLANEOUS.

Linseed :—
The Market is quiet but steady with a moderate business passing.

We quote :—

Ready	Rs.	7 15 0 B.T.
September...	"	8 8 0 R.T.

Rapeseed :—
The Market is quiet with little enquiry and prices are slightly easier.

We quote :—

Brown Cawnpore...	Rs.	8 14 0
" Delhi	"	8 15 0
Yellow Guzerat	"	9 5 0

Poppyseed :—
The Market is firm with a fair business doing.

Ready	Rs.	10 5 0
June-July	"	10 9 0

Castorseed :—

...	Rs.	37 0 0

Tone—Steady.

Cottonseed :—

...	Rs.	20 8 0

Tone—Quiet but steady.

Mowraseed :—

July-August	Rs.	7 0 0

Tone—Firmer.

Wheat :—
The Market is quiet and prices are slowly giving way.

We quote :—

White Delhi June-July ...	...	Rs. 5 0 0

THE SHARE MARKET.

Banks :—

Bombay		1,410
India		53½

Mills :—

Century		1,700
David		360
Empress		420
Howard and Bulloughs		540
Kohinoor		745
Maneckji Petit		3,120
Standard		1,200
Textile		1,240

Presses :—

Breul's Cawnpore		210
Hingoli		130
New Mofussil		625
Volkart's *United*		1,125
Khangaum		410

Miscellaneous :—

Alcock Ashdown and Co... ...		325
Badham Pile and Co.		125
Bombay Flour Mill		975
Bombay Steam Nav.		273½
Central India Mining		575
Colaba *Land and Mill*		1,050
Delhi Flour Mill		160
Marks and Co.		150
Shivrajpur Mining Syndicate ...		75
Telephone Co.		33½
Treacher and Co.		625

Railways :—

Ahmedabad-Prantej		530
Amritsar-Patti		117
Tapti Valley		447½

RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of Cotton and Produce into Bombay during the 24 hours ended at 6 p.m., yesterday :—

Cotton	834	bales.
Wheat	5,258	cwts.
Linseed	11,769	"
Rapeseed...	4,233	"
Gingellyseed	339	"
Poppyseed	2,679	"
Groundnuts	60	"
Castorseed	1,639	"
Rice	31,112	"
Myrabollams	866	"
Cottonseed	15,650	"
Mowraseed	519	"
Gram	7,253	"
Joowar	2	"
Maize	nil	

KARACHI FREIGHT MARKET.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KARACHI JUNE 19.

Freights.—The quieter tendency has been intensified. Hardly any business has been put through, shippers being firm in their opinion that lower rates must come about. Great difficulty is being experienced in the loading of steamers and the trouble has been increased by the unusual and cyclonic weather. June steamers continue to arrive and six steamers are in the stream unable to secure berths.

Engagements—The Ellerman Line 2,000 tons, September, Glasgow, at 15s. 6d. The Hansa Line 500 tons, Hamburg, August, at 15s. 6d. Chagondass, 500 tons, Hamburg, July, at 16s.

Weather—An inch of rain fell last night rendering much produce unfit for immediate shipment. The skies are still threatening.

THE INDIAN GOLD MINE RETURNS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, JUNE 19.

The following London quotations have been received through Messrs. Scott and Tod, to-day.

Mines.	Share.	Paid up.	Buyers.	Sellers.
Anantapur Gold ...	£1	10s.	£0 9 3	£0 10 0
Balaghat ...	£1	£1	£0 15 0	£0 16 6
Champion Reefs ...	2s. 6d.	2s. 6d.	£0 2 0	£0 2 6
Hosur Gold ...	£1	15s. 6d.	£0 11 0	£0 11 6
Dec. G. F. Dev. ...	£1	8s. 0d.	£0 2 3	£0 2 9
Dhar. Gold Mines ...	£1	£1	£1 16 3	£1 18 9
Dharwar Reefs ...	£1	£1	£0 17 6	£0 18 9
G. F. Mysore ...	£1	£1	£0 15 0	£0 2 6
Glenrock, Ind ...	10s.	9s. 0d.	£1 0 3	£0 0 9
G. F. Dharwar ...	£1	£1	£0 15 6	£0 16 9
Hutti ...	£1	£1	£1 15 9	£1 16 3
Hyderabad Dec ...	£3	£3	£2 3 9	£2 6 3
Ind. Mines Syn ...	4s.	3s.	£0 0 1½	£0 0 6
Kemphukoti New ...	5s.	5s.	£0 0 6	£0 1 0
Mysore Gold ...	£5	10s.	£5 12 6	£5 13 9
Mysore Reef Ord. ...	£1	£1	£0 0 6	£0 1 0
Mysore West ...	£1	10s.	£0 0 6	£0 2 6
Mysore Wynaad ...	£1	10s.	£0 1 6	£0 2 6
Nundydroog ...	10s.	10s.	£1 3 9	£1 5 0
Coregum (Ord) ...	10s.	10s.	£0 8 9	£0 9 4½
Coregum (Pref) ...	10s.	10s.	£0 14 6	£0 15 6
Road Block ...	£1	£1	£0 0 1½	£0 0 7½
Sangli (New) ...	£1	10s.	£0 0 6	£0 1 0
Tirpuloli ...	£1	15s.	£0 11 9	£0 12 9

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE Charge for Announcements of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS, and MEMORIAM NOTICES which must be authenticated by the name and address of the senders, is Re. 2 for six lines or less, and 8 as. for every additional line. CASH strictly in ADVANCE.

BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

BRICARD—June 19, at Edward House, Apollo Bunder, Bombay, the wife of L. Bricard, Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Co'y, of a daughter.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

EDMONDS—June 16, at Madras, the wife of F. Edmonds, San Thome, of a daughter.
MYERS—June 14, at Coimbatore, the wife of A. B. Myers, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, of a son.

DEATH.

MOCKLER—June 14, at Secunderabad, 2nd Lieutenant T. C. Mockler, 2nd Q. O. Rajput L. I.

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TO-DAY.

Sun rises, 6h. 2m.; Sun sets, 7h. 18m. High water, 5-51m, 6-1 a.; Low water, 0-7m., 11-44a.
Municipal Corporation, 3-39 p. m.
Harwood Association Football League, Cooperage, 5-45 p. m.

THE WEEK'S CALENDAR.

Friday, June 21.—P. and O. s. s. *Egypt*, with English mails of 7th instant, due to arrive at 9 a. m. Harwood Association Football League, Cooperage, 5-45 p. m. Sun rises, 6h. 2m; Sun sets, 7h. 18m. High water, 7-9m., 7-32a.; Low water, 1-2m., 1-43a.

Saturday, June 22.—Meeting of the Bombay Legislative Council, Poona, 12 o'clock noon. Harwood Association Football League, Cooperage, 5-45 p. m. Sun rises, 6h. 2m.; Sun sets, 7h. 18m. High water, 8-22m., 8-2a. Low water, 1-53m., 2-12a.

Sunday, June 23.—4th Sunday after Trinity. Sun rises, 6h. 2m.; Sun sets, 7h. 18m. High water, 9-23m., 8-53a.; Low water, 2-39m., 3-13a.

Monday, June 24.—Harwood Association Football League, Cooperage, 5-45 p.m. Sun rises, 6h. 3m.; Sun sets, 7h. 19m. High water, 10-13m., 9-55a.; Low water, 3-24m., 4-10a.

Tuesday, June 25.—Harwood Association Football League, Cooperage, 5-45 p.m. Sun rises 6h 3m.; Sun sets, 7h. 19 m.; High water, 11-9m., 10-50a.; Low water, 4-9m., 5 4a.

Wednesday, June 26.—Bombay Gymkhana Cricket matches. Municipal Standing Committee, 4-9 p.m. Sun rises, 6h. 3m.; Sun sets, 7h. 19m. High water, 11-57m., 11-44a. Low water, 4-55m., 5-56a.

MANECKJEE NUSSERWANJEE PETIT'S CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The total number of patients treated during last month was 4,832, the daily average being 155. The total of new patients was 511.

POLICE NOTICE.—A silver bangle, a bicycle, some documents, some hats and caps, some Government Currency notes, a bundle of hoop iron, some empty casks, some clothing, a silver tanviz, some umbrellas, a book, and a pair of spectacles have been taken charge of by the Police and await owners.

BAND AT THE ST. GEORGE'S HOSPITAL.—By kind permission of Lieut.-Colonel J. S. McNeill and Officers, of the 1st Batt., G. I. P. Ry. Volunteers, their String Band will play the following programme of music under the direction of Mr. A Mallandaine, Bandmaster, commencing at 5-15 p.m. to-day.

March ...	The Starsand Stripes For ever ...	Sousa
Overture ...	Knight Ermak ...	W. Beadle
Grand Fantasia ...		
six ...	Edward Grieg's Popular Works ...	...
Valse ...	Auf Glatten Fluten ...	Hermann
Selection ...	The Cherry Girl ...	L. Caryll
Cake Walk ...	Skate Crabapple ...	T. W. Thurban.

THE B. S. P. C. A.—During the month of May last, 2 horses and 1 bullock were sent to the Pinjrapole, *as being unfit for work, at the instance of the* Agents of the Bombay Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, with the permission of the Presidency Magistrates and with the consent of the owners; while 11 horses, 103 bullocks, and 2 *buffaloes were sent to the Bai Sakarbai Dinshaw* Petit Hospital for Animals, at Parel, for curative treatment. During the last month, 322 offenders were fined for cruelty to animals, 24 cartmen were fined for overloading their carts and 23 offenders were warned and discharged by the Magistrates.

RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY.—At the Esplanade Police Court, Bombay, yesterday, Mr. J. W. S. Dracup disposed of the case in which Inspector Sullivan of the Criminal Investigation Department charged Poonamchand Adan, a Marwari, with receiving stolen property. Mr. DeSouza, pleader, defended the accused. The facts of the case have already been reported. Some time last month the house of one Kanayalal Devshanker, a shroff living at Mumbadevi, was broken into and ornaments of the value of Rs. 258 stolen from it. Two persons were subsequently arrested and, on conviction, sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for six months. It was alleged that a part of the ornaments was pledged by them with the accused, who received them knowing them to be stolen property. Mr. De Souza pleaded for leniency on the ground that the accused was a newarrival in Bombay and this was his first offence. The Magistrate fined the accused Rs. 100.

MESSRS. KEMP & CO., LD.—We have just received the 25th report of Messrs Kemp and Co., Ld., the well-known Manufacturing and Pharmaceutical Chemists, and are pleased to note that they still maintain a good solid return to their shareholders and are able to show a balance sheet that is eminently satisfactory. Nothing but good report is heard of this firm; their goods are excellent; all above suspicion; and in accordance with English Laws. Medical men are absolutely satisfied with Kemp's productions and know that their prescribing is not marred by inferior goods; a point that cannot be too strongly urged where medicine is concerned. Fair dealings, reasonable prices and quality in everything is their business system which is one evidently appreciated both by Medical men and the Public, judging by the result they show year after year against competition such as obtains in Bombay. There is much conjecture about what has driven away, the other persons above-named being seated in that and another victoria. A report was made the same night to the European police officer of the Girgaum Division, who deputed a jemadar to accompany the complainants' agents to make enquiries and find out the girl Gulbai. The police officer, in the course of his enquiries, called at the house of Mr. Kolasker, who refused to allow the police to enter it, admitted the taking away of the girl but declined to make a further statement which he said he would make at the proper time. He declined to disclose where Gulbai then was. Deponents believed that she had been concealed; and they prayed that an order in the nature of a "habeas corpus" may be issued for the production and delivery of the girl to the deponents.

His Lordship granted a rule nisi according to Rule 837 of the High Court Rules.

TRAVELLERS' GRIEVANCES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—I fully endorse the contentions of your correspondent "Pro bono publico" in your issue of the 14th June as regards the late running of No. 6 up train—(Ahmedabad Bulsar Local). It seems that the Railway authorities have made it a point to experiment with the susceptibility of the passengers to hardships since 1905, for seldom has this train arrived to time. The sooner this grievance is removed, the better for the good name of the Company, for even the most illiterate classes are expressing an opinion about the unprincipled timings.

In the interests of the public it would not be amiss to suggest to at all concerned, to kneel down before the grave of the late and popular Mr. Derberry and implore his spirit for the revision of new timings.—Your, etc.,

INCOMPETENCE.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

HIGH COURT.

INSOLVENT DEBTORS' COURT.

THE Hon. Mr. Justice Beaman presided at a sitting of the Court yesterday.

RE PESTONJEE EDULJEE ASHAVAIDYA.

Mr. Ardasir Kapadia, for the insolvent, applied for and obtained the usual interim order.

RE MAHOMEDALI RAJBHAI AND ANOTHER.

Mr. Bahadurjee, on behalf of Abdul Kadur Noorbhai, applied for a return of the books of account lodged with the Official Assignee. Counsel said that his client was called as a witness, and had produced the books of account of the insolvents' shop, which had been mortgaged with his client.

Mr. R. D. Setna, Official Assignee, said he had no objection to the return of the books.

His Lordship made an order for a return of the books.

RE EVANGELO NICHOLAS BASSARAS.

The insolvent, a Greek, who had been in jail, appeared in person and applied for an interim order.

The Hon. Mr. Raikes, Advocate-General,

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PARLIAMENT AND INDIA.

JUDGED by this morning's telegram there would appear to be rather more unrest in the British House of Commons than in Upper India. The Irish Nationalists and Labour Members, by their long string of questions, were not actuated by kindly feelings towards discontented persons in this country or by anxiety for the safety and well-being of their countrymen in the East. They wish to embarrass the present Government and to hasten its downfall by throwing as many obstacles as they can command in the way of smooth progress. They have regard to their own party ends—nothing more. And if political agitators in this country suppose that the Nationalists and Labour members are their friends they imagine a vain thing. It is to us a matter of surprise and regret that the Secretary of State vouchsafed any further reply to his interrogators than he has so often given. By doing so he rendered it possible for the tail of the House to indulge in what Reuter very vaguely terms a tumultuous scene. We should have been glad of particulars; for all we learn is that Sir Howard Vincent, in the midst of the disorder, ejaculated derisively: "Why not shoot Lajput Rai?" Reminiscences of blowing seditious persons from the muzzles of guns probably came back to the imagination of those who remembered the fiftieth anniversary of the Mutiny. And the Speaker and Mr. Morley both "reprehended the expression." No doubt it was the correct thing to express disapprobation. But it must not be for a moment supposed that Sir Howard Vincent imagined or desired that the suggestion should be acted upon. The hon. member for Central Sheffield is not an inexperienced stripling. He has served the State in various capacities and was at one time Director of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Metropolis. He could not have made such a suggestion seriously, and all we can convict him of is either making a remark in a moment of anger and indignation at the uproar which had been created, or of indulgence in untimely levity—certainly not of advocating the adoption of Cossack methods of disposing of persons troublesome to the State. Only one modicum of satisfaction is to be extracted from the incident—that in reply to Professor Lupton, who is neither a Nationalist nor a Labour representative, Mr. Morley assured the House that he was enquiring into the causes of the disaffection, "all day long"—a fact which was generally understood for some weeks past. By pressing for a reply as to the complicity of Lajpat Rai and Ajit Singh, Sir Henry Cotton was certainly ill-advised in his own, and their interests. The effect of his persistency will more probably be to prolong rather than shorten the period of their detention.

THE CATTLE OF GUZERAT. A very full and interesting account of cattle in the Ahmedabad and Kaira Districts in Guzerat is given in "Bulletin No. 26" by Major Joslen, Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department of the Bombay Presidency. The prominent feature of this publication is the excellent photographs which accompany the letter-press, which, needless to say, make the work attractive to the ordinary reader—a consummation to be aimed at it is thought in all official publications of this character. We recently reviewed Messrs. Drummond and Prain's monographs on Agave and Furerea and had occasion to allude to the omission of such photographs from their work which otherwise would have made it complete, and the same monographs we observe are now reprinted by the Government of India in their original form under the Vegetable Product Series. Ahmedabad and Kaira are very favourable grazing grounds for cattle, more favourable probably than any other in the Presidency because of the configuration of the country, and character of the soil which is generally a soft sandy loam and because of the abundance of fodder crops and grazing available. Excepting for some low hills in the extreme North-East and South-West of Ahmedabad, both districts are comparatively flat and are park-like in character the prospect being enriched here and there with groves of trees. It may be mentioned that both Districts are free from the trammels of the Forest Department, a fact which probably renders them more popular to the cattle-breeder. Without in any way wishing to decry the effort of the Forest Department in regard to forest conservation we are tempted to quote in this connection what Her Majesty the late Queen said in regard to Osborne after her purchase of it, which is not altogether inappropriate here: "It sounds so pleasant to have a place of one's own, quiet and retired from all Woods and Forests and other charming departments which really are the plague of one's life." Ahmedabad and Kaira possess two breeds of cattle which are known as the Kankrej or Wadhiai and its variations the Gujrat. But the variations are not sufficiently prominent to constitute what might be termed a distinct breed. It is like comparing, but in a smaller degree, the pure blood Arab with the ordinary Arab troop horse, both of the same breed but very different horses. Two other kinds of cattle found in these districts are the Malvi and Kathiawar which are imported from the Panch Mahals and Rutlam. These are medium to small in size, and may be seen distributed in almost every village.

Cattle-breeding is carried on almost entirely by professional breeders—called Rabaris and Barwads residing in villages. The profession, up to the period of the last great famine, was a paying one but many of the men were ruined as a result of the famine. Major Joslen does not allude to the subject, but we know that it was Sir Frederick Lely who made a strenuous effort in 1899-00 to save the breeding industry from destruction by inducing the Rabaris to take their cattle to grazing grounds in the Thana District upwards of three hundred miles away. The offer of free carriage and free grazing were held out and about 18,000 head of cattle were sent away to Thana, but owing mainly to change of climate, difference in fodder and configuration of the grounds, etc., the venture cannot be said to have been a success. Large numbers of cattle died both in going to and returning from Thana and in the forests there. Yet the attempt was very heroic and highly creditable to the then Commissioner. It is now not uncommon, owing to the large mortality of cattle at that time to find herds of only fifty cows belonging to one breeder where formerly there were over a hundred; for cattle are very scarce. The Gujrat cow, the one common to the Districts of Ahmedabad and Kaira, is but a poor milker which is not surprising since she is not bred for milking purposes. Her usual supply is about six to seven pounds a day, whereas the Gir or Kathiawar cows give as much as 24 lbs. The maternal instinct is so strong that neither cows nor buffaloes will yield their milk unless the calf is suckling or is tied close by. Should a calf happen to die it is not unusual to stuff the skin and keep the dummy calf in close proximity. Buffaloes of Ahmedabad and Kaira are small but very massive and so wonderfully uniform in size and characteristics that if one is herded with others it cannot be easily distinguished again by any person unacquainted with the herd unless minute details had been noted. The breed of buffalo-cow with a curved horn imported into Bombay for dairy purposes—known as the Delhi buffalo—comes from Viramgaum, and the magnificent Jafferabadi buffalow-cow—specimens of which were exhibited at the Bombay Agricultural Exhibition—hails from the Gir hills in Kathiawar. For dairy purposes buffaloes almost entirely take the place of cows as they give more milk and yield more manure. Large quantities of ghee, butter and cream are exported to Bombay and even to Calcutta from the Kaira District, a district which might be termed one of India's dairies. Each buffalo gives 8 to 10 lbs. of milk twice a day and 10 lbs. milk produce one pound of ghee. Major Joslen concludes his interesting account of Guzerat cattle by suggesting the grant of a well-bred calf to farmers for services rendered rather than the present of a puggaree, or sword or even cash—a suggestion which Collectors might well bear in mind. Great praise is due to him for his very full and interesting notes and the Director of Agriculture, Bombay, is to be congratulated on having printed them accompanied by so many (65) excellent photographs.

PRIVATE ESTATES IN THE C. P. The series of disastrous years which culminated in the famine of 1900 was greatly responsible for the interruption in the successful working of the administration of the Court of Wards in the Central Provinces during those years, for there were numerous failures to extricate from debt the embarrassed estates under its management. It is also admitted that some part of the failure was due to want of strict control over local managers. Its rent collections then compared very unfavourably with those of neighbouring landlords, but during the last few years much stricter measures have been enforced, both in the matter of not assuming charge of estates of which recovery is hopeless and in managing and controlling those under supervision, while the policy has been steadily pursued of getting rid of those hopeless estates in which debts were increasing and continuance of management could only render more hopeless the chances of saving anything for the owner. Better seasons helped in this direction, for the land market improved and in the majority of cases portions of the estates were saved, or at least a maintenance was secured for the ward. It cannot be denied that in some considerable measure the credit of the Court of Wards was impaired, but it has now been thoroughly restored. In 1905-6 the transfer of the Sambalpur district to Bengal took six estates away. While these new ones were brought under management the number of estates under the Court at the close of the year was 83 or 10 less than at the commencement. Forest management received much attention during the year, and the total income under this head amounted to Rs.2,21,274. In many of the estates the forests are unimportant, but in the estates with large forest areas forest management is a difficult but most important part of the duty of the Court of Wards. The advice of the Forest Divisional Officer has been taken with great success in many districts, while in some of the estates with important forests money spent in improving communications and establishments has led to a large increase in income and there need be no hesitation about strengthening forest establishments wherever forests are of any commercial importance.

The gross ordinary expenditure of the estates dealt with in the returns (which did not include all the estates) amounted to nearly seven and a half lakhs out of a gross income of slightly over ten lakhs, while the cost of management for all the estates was only fourteen per cent. of the gross income. There is evidence in the reports that marked success has followed the practice of putting one assistant in charge of all Court of Wards estates in a district and that the grant of rewards to the lower paid servants has been a great incentive to efficiency. The system of giving cash bonuses to estate servants at the end of the year for really good work, has been followed by better rent collection and more profitable cultivation in several districts and it has been ordered that the system should be extended. The reports and statements show that there are but few estates now under management in which the chances of successful management are very small, and the results that should now be obtained, are calculated to restore the confidence of the public in the administration of the Court. The worst situated estates appear to be the Gangai and Pitras Estates in Narsingh pur and the Mull Estate in Chanda. The Bhandra Estate in the Jubbulpore district, which has recently been taken under management, is very heavily involved, but there appear to be some hopes of development which, if realized, may enable the Court to attain success in its management.

ANOTHER OXFORD EPISODE. The mail papers bring an amusing story of a "rag" at Oxford, the prime movers in which were the undergraduates of Christ Church, who made a night attack with squibs and crackers on the stands put-up on the bank of the Cherwell for the Historic Pageant to be held in the city this summer. A few sore heads and scorched eyebrows was the result, but no great damage was done, and as the Premier College had recovered its position as Head of the River in the Eights after a struggle of fifty-seven years it was but natural that a little undergraduate exuberance should be let loose on the night of the victory. But it was in no sense a "record rag" as some of the papers head-lined their accounts of it. It was, however, what might be called the first "water-rag" for some years, the centre of the melee having been the bridge temporarily erected over the Cherwell giving access to the Pageant field from the grounds of Christ Church. But the "rag" serves to recall an incident which took place at Oxford years ago, before any of the present generation of undergraduates went into residence. It was, like that above recorded, a House affair, and no other member of the 'Varsity had a part in it. There is published in term at Oxford a clever little paper, *The Isis* and its editor, Mr. Mostyn T. Pigott, was wont to give a series of satires called "Isis Idols." They were funny skits on Deans and dons—particularly the former. It was a skit on "The Dean" of that day which caused all the trouble. The Dean—he is now a Bishop, and doubtless too great a man to remember the incident—danced with a certain lady at the House Ball, and his wife danced with that lady's husband. There was no harm in that, of course, but when the Dean's turn came to be "idolised" in the *Isis* the writer of the satire injudiciously mentioned the circumstance. Immediately Christ Church saw it, the writer of the satire was condemned to an awful punishment. It was not for some days that his identity was discovered, and then he was found to be an undergraduate of Christ Church. At midnight the young scribe's lodgings were rushed; he was dragged from his bed, and marched off to Tom Quad, where he was made to confess, and to set light to a copy of the paper, after which he was ducked in Peckwater, and then sent home more dead than alive. The apology which was wrung from him appeared in the next number of the paper, though it was repudiated by the editor; and the culprit, a very clever and promising fellow, left the University and has never since been heard of.

A GHARRY NUISANCE. An annual nuisance in Bombay has just reappeared. That there seems to be no system of proving that the men who apply for licenses are competent is generally accepted; that the policemen consider the regulation of traffic beneath them, and an accident or dispute as something to run from, as from plague, is equally accepted. But when the monsoon breaks and each fare is shut in so that it is almost impossible to see where one is going, the matter becomes worse and should engage the attention of the Commissioner of Police. From several complaints of which we have heard it would seem that there is a lucrative trade to be conducted in letting out gharries to *budlies* who are anxious to make money easily and find the readiest means in the daylong demand which is put upon the gharries. And the substitute drivers know less than the licensed men—which is little—of the streets of Bombay. The only chance of putting a stop to the practice is for every fare, who has the slightest reason to doubt the driver, to demand the licence and, in the event of finding any discrepancy as regards the photograph, to refuse to pay for the drive except to a policeman to whom the whole affair has been explained. But, after all, the public has reason to complain of being called upon to perform Police duty, and a far more efficacious method would be for senior policemen to be deputed to make searching examination as to the identity of every driver found on a stand. That attention should be paid to seeing that the drivers know the city, or at least the important parts of it, is to ask too much; for it has been suggested too often without effect.

THE Austrian Lloyds's s. s. *Istok* left Hongkong for Bombay on the 18th instant.

THE German East Africa Line Steamer *Sultan* left Zanzibar for Bombay yesterday morning *via* Lamu and Mombassa.

THE R. I. M. S. "Northbrook" arrived here on 17th inst. on her return journey from Southampton.

A TELEGRAM was received from Sir Denzil Ibbetson on Tuesday morning stating that the operation for which he went Home has been performed successfully and that all was well.

A CONCERT was given by the Band of the 2nd King's Royal Rifles, on the 7th instant, at the Club, Pachmarhi. Among the performers was the Bishop of Nagpur, who contributed two numbers. "The Deathless Army," the introduction of the same being played by the Band, while drum effects were worked into the second verse, and Barri's "The Old Brigade."

THE Mysore Government have made the following temporary appointments in the Mysore Chief Court:—Mr. Justice H. V. Nunjandiah, M.A. M.L., Second Judge, acts as Chief Judge in the room of the late Mr. Justice Lewis Moore, Mr. Justice Krishna Rao, becomes Second Judge, and Mr. K. S. Chandrasekhara Iyer, the present General and Revenue Secretary, acts as Third Judge. All these appointments took effect from the 17th instant.

A CORRESPONDENT writes:—"Mr. Kilburn Scott, who is the greatest living authority on manganese mining, has come out to Mysore from London on behalf of Messrs. Schrods, Smidt and Co., the Managing Agents of the Shimoga Manganese Co., to report on the opening up of its mines, and advise it of the practicability of developing them on a scale hitherto unattempted in South India. The concessions cover an area of over 150 square miles and contain some of the biggest deposits hitherto found in Mysore. Mr. Kilburn Scott will remain in Mysore for two months and then proceed to Brazil. The Shimoga Manganese Co. is a private concern not offering any shares for public subscription."

THE Lord Mayor has received a telegram from Queen Elizabeth of Roumania ("Carmen Sylva"), stating that she had autographed and forwarded from the Royal Palace at Bucharest a number of her own books for sale at the fete, opened by her Majesty at the Mansion House on June 13, in aid of the Cripples' Fund.

NEWS received in Sierra Leone states that President A. Barclay, of Liberia, who was re-elected to the Presidential position in 1905, has again been re-elected President of the Republic of Liberia, on this occasion for a term of four years. This period of office is a new departure. Hitherto the Presidential term has been for two years, but a general election resulted in the decision to amend the Constitution so as to extend the term from two years to four.

WHILST the verger at St. Leonard's Parish Church, Bilston, was going his round one evening lighting the gas before the service there was an explosion. The interior of the building was partially wrecked, a valuable stained-glass window blown clean out, and the organ and two side galleries extensively damaged. The accident is supposed to have been due to a leakage of gas near the organ.

MR. JOHN BURNS, in a printed reply to a question by Mr. Riddale, M. P., states that the Battersea milk depot was installed in 1903 at a cost of £659. The receipts in that year were £736 and the expenditure £1,124, whilst for the year ended March 1907 the receipts were £796 and the expenditure £1,259. The Lambeth depot cost £881 to instal in 1905, and in the following year the receipts were £16 and the expenditure £170, while for 1907 they were respectively £286 and £480. For the Woolwich depot, which was opened in November 1906, the installation cost £663 and the receipts to May 18, 1907, were £189 and the expenditure £498.

PLAYS AND PASTIMES.

THE TIVOLI PAVILION.

South African Cricket.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, MAY 31.

Among sundry new comers who are appearing this week at the Tivoli, a trio who call themselves "The Wanderers" occupy a prominent place. These include a baritone, a soprano, and a contralto, and they sing first separately and then collectively. All are nameless on the programme, and all wear masks, so if you like you can imagine that they are wanderers of great fame concealing their identity. One thing only we are told, and that is they are principals from Grand Opera, Covent Garden. Modesty is a characteristic of all great men, I know, and so I assume it is a characteristic of great singers also, and that it accounts for this anonymity. It would perhaps be high praise, though, to call "The Wanderers" great singers. I should rather call them efficient. The contralto is the one who gave me most pleasure with her rendering of Saint-Saens's "Softly awakes my Heart," from "Samson and Delilah." The baritone gives us Strauss's "Dream in the Twilight" with considerable effect, while the soprano, who is the least pleasing of the three, essays Ambroise Thomas's "Titania's Song" from "Mignon." For a concluding trio they sang "Smart's Queen of the Night" very charmingly. They appear before a back-ground which is quaint and rather charming. It appears to consist of iridescent silk curtains which melt away on the ground into a sort of foamy billows. This background takes different coloured lights in a very effective manner, and though I do not know why singers should require a background of opalescent tints, I yet see no reason why they should not have it if the effect is very pleasing as it is here.

Kurkamp, "the singing conductor" is also here, and it is a curiously novel effect to see a conductor rise in his seat, facing the audience and sing lustily. Another turn, too, which I had not seen before is that provided by Cole and Rags, comedy jugglers. Cole is a mediocre juggler who fills in intervals to relieve Rags. Rags himself is an exceptionally clever performer of the American slouch, or tramp type. Attired in quaint rags he looks an unutterable scamp, but his business, though unnecessarily coarse at times, is excessively funny, for the man is a born humorist. He does all his tricks in the American bored lethargic manner, until the end of the show, when the extraordinary speed with which he catches plates which are rained at him across the stage shows that he only juggles with perfect, leisured ease because he is an absolute master of his craft.

It is a real treat, by the way, at this house to hear the orchestra play the selection from Offenbach's "Tales of Hoffmann," and the excellent programme also includes those clever and always popular stars Fragson, Little Tich, and George Robey, of whom I have written so often that I have really nothing fresh to say, except that Little Tich has two new songs. They are always entertaining and never grow stale.

THE PAVILION.

After a round of all the London variety theatres it is curious how quickly you appreciate the different and peculiar qualities of different houses. Each has its own atmosphere and its own clientele. The Pavilion does not rely on a constant succession of high-priced stars. Partly because of its unique position, and partly because it represents a distinct tradition in music halls, it is always well filled and always popular. People "drop in" at the Pavilion not so much to see any particular shining light as to see and enjoy anything that may be going on, and though stars like Kitty Gordon and the much-discussed Seldoms' Venus appear here, they seem more an integral part of the general show than single luminaries. It is much the same here as it used to be in the old days at the Criterion. One did not go there to see any particular play, but one went to the Criterion with a confidence that the evening would be amusing.

Changes are made in the Pavilion programme, but they are made quite quietly, and so, though you meet many old friends such as (in addition to the two turns mentioned above) Malcolm Scott, George Mozart, T. E. Dunville, and so forth, you may always be sure of striking something new and good. Mr. Mozart is still giving his very amusing "Mudlark Village Band," but I had not seen until the other night Mr. Dunville's quaint policeman. It is a very well worth seeing little sketch, and to hear this clever comedian read, with comments, extracts from a book of rules for the guidance of a policeman reveals him in quite his best form. Policemen, for some reason or other, always lend themselves particularly well to humorous treatment, and Mr. Dunville is very happy in this his latest effort.

MR. SEYMOUR HICKS.

I am able to announce that Mr. Seymour Hicks and Miss Ellaline Terriss have now signed a renewal of the contract with Mr. Charles Frohman, as a result of which these artists will continue under his management for a further terms of years. This piece of news will effectually dispose of rumours which have of late been in circulation to the effect that Mr. Frohmen and Mr. Hicks had parted company, and other equally unfounded items of theatrical gossip. As a matter of fact, the eminent American manager will, at the Aldwych, on September 2nd, or thereabouts, "present" Mr. Hicks and Miss Terriss in the new musical play by Seymour Hicks and Frank E. Jones, with lyrics by African Ross. The scenes of this piece, which at present bears the title of "The Gay Gordons," are laid in Scotland, but we are solemnly assured that it will, to employ a term of the theatre, be "played straight," and that in no instance will the Scottish accent be attempted. There will, however, be heather and tartan and bagpipes and other concomitants of a national character. Strong parts have been provided for Miss Ellaline Terriss, Miss Zena Dare, Mr. Fred Emney, Miss Sydney Fairbrother, Miss Barbara Deane, Miss Rosina Filippi, and Mr. Seymour Hicks. Next year we may find Miss Zena Dare "starring" in a new musical play under the management of Mr. Hicks.

SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKET.

By their victory over a strong M.C.C. Team this week, the South African Cricketers have done much to establish a reputation. They by no means remote possibility of a big sensation at Lord's on Wednesday was not vouchsafed the few people who came to see the end of the match. The 35 runs left over-night for another Colonial victory were not too much for the survivors of Tuesday's battle against Trott and Tarrant, for James Sinclair, big and strong, a hitter to the finger-tips, was undismayed by what was apparently a crisis. Sinclair loosened his great, broad shoulders, made the most of his tremendous reach, and just hit as he would have done if the situation had been free from care. You knew at once that the outstanding runs would be made after the first over. There was grit and determination in the play of Faulkner and Sinclair, who quickly helped himself to 20, and the rest was easy.

The South Africans won by three wickets, and the victory will do much to win us all to them. I have yet to see them something more than average batsmen; of their bowling no one who has seen Schwars, Vogler, Kotze, Faulkner, S. J. Snooke, and many others, if necessary, will deny its strength, its great variety, and its unconventionality.

The South Africans will bring much trouble to the best bats we have; when we have summer weather their batting must be vastly better than we have seen it up to now. The side which can include batsmen of the calibre of Schwars and Vogler among the tail must be worth many more runs than have been gathered on our much-affected wickets up to now.

I am specially glad the South Africans prevailed in this game at headquarters. It will do incalculable good to every man who is included in this most excellent band of sportsmen.

R. C.

THE Japanese in Formosa have resolved finally to subjugate the whole region along the east coast, which since ancient times has been inhabited by savages (says the *Times'* Tokio correspondent.) The natives number only 100,000, but they hold 75,000 square miles of the richest territory. An expeditionary force of 8,000 men, consisting mainly of Chinese officered by Japanese, has been engaged since last autumn in steadily pushing into the savage region, where, in spite of obstinate resistance, good progress is reported.

AMATEUR THEATRICALS AT SIMLA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, JUNE 17.

The event of the past week in the Simla amateur dramatic world has been "Dr. Wake's Patient" which has been played with a closeness which is all the more noticeable as it is not always a conspicuous feature in amateur productions. There hardly seemed to be a hitch throughout, except when the bishop nearly fell off his chair in the waiting-room. There was not a single weak part except those of the gipsy and Mr. Browne and they made little or no difference.

In the last act perhaps the playing was a little too slow, (not that I would have quickened that a, the heroine) though I am bound to confess that the feeling was probably due to the waits and to Wake's inordinately long-winded speeches. A lofty soul is out of place where there is no gallery to appeal to, as most of the other parts of the house think it indelicate to refer to it at such length and when a provincial accent is added, are distinctly bored by it. The blue pencil might have been largely used on Wake's part without detracting in any way from the interest of the play, while the strain on the attention of the audience would have been lessened. Only a very first-class actor can permit himself with safety, to utter such very long speeches in dialect, containing admirable sentiments for which we feel we have little use in the ordinary way, and the very sublimity of which annoys us, since we realise the hopelessness of such heights of self-sacrifice. Dialect is generally a stumbling block to an audience and even where necessary, as was presumably the case in this instance is trifling, besides generating the feeling that hour credulity and ignorance may be being played on and that it may not really be the dialect we are given to suppose.

A short resumé of the play will not perhaps be unacceptable. The scene opens in the Devonshire farm-house of the Wakes where Lady Gerania is brought after having been thrown from her horse. Here she meets Dr. Wake, an eminent physician, son to the old people of the farm, who happens to be home on a visit. He bandages up her arm, and the two fall in love with one another at first sight without either knowing who the other is.

In the second act we have the waiting-room at Dr. Wake's, and afterwards a scene in his consulting room, where the lovers, having mutually tried to find one another for several months, unexpectedly meet. We gather that Gerania has been sent by her father to the great specialist, Lord St. Olbyn explaining in a letter that he believes her to have formed an unfortunate attachment with some man whom they none of them know.

The third act takes place at a small sea side place where Lady Gerania has been sent to recruit. And here, after some misunderstanding, the doctor and his patient become engaged and all seems about to end happily when the old Wake's appear on the scene and Lord and Lady St. Olbyn on learning who they are absolutely forbid the marriage. Thus at the close of the act we see Mr. and Mrs. Wake and their distinguished son going home.

In the fourth act all ends well after one or two affecting scenes in which Gerania, who has run away from home, consents to go back to her people as her lover tells her is her duty, and the old Wake's offer to give up their son completely, if only he may be made happy. In this act the heroine showed up particularly as there was real pathos in her acting and tears in her voice and not only in her eyes.

Lady Gerania, played by Mrs. Bengley, was an excellent performance, sustained at a very high level throughout the play. It is hard to say whether the lighter or more pathetic parts were the better, both were played with so much appreciation of their values both intrinsically and with reference to the rest of the play. There was plenty of light and shade and every motion was portrayed both in voice, face and gesture.

Mrs. G. Williams, as Lady St. Olbyn was very good indeed, the affected society lady to the life. Her speeches caused great amusement, and she seldom failed to score her many good points. Miss Williams, too, as Janifer, was good and made much out of a small part. Mrs. Wake, played by Mrs. Beresford Lovett, was uneven at times very good and touching, at others unconvincing.

Harriet Bronson, Miss N. Dane, was charmingly natural her voice clear and pleasant and her laugh infectious, though occasionally some of her speeches suffered owing to being delivered almost without punctuation.

Forester Wake, played by Mr. V. Fergusson, was very good, indeed, surprisingly so. It was a restrained, level, intelligent performance. His differentiation in the consulting room, between the lover's manner which he tried manfully to suppress, and the Doctor's was clever. When acting with his mother he was admirable. Nothing was overdone except perhaps his emotion at the end of the third act.

Wake, the old farmer, played by Mr. W. Barrow, was good and acted well, but there was an undercurrent of burlesque throughout and a want of a sense of proportion. He was out of the picture at times owing to an evidently mistaken idea that he was the central figure of the play. In fact his overplaying was inartistic, and a more subdued rendering would have shown more perception.

Lord St. Olbyn, played by Mr. Pape, was very good and we hope thus evidently quite excellent actor may be seen shortly in some more prominent part, in which he may have a real scope for his talents.

The two small parts of Murdock and the waiter filled by Mr. Harrison were, as usual with him, finished studies.

The Butler at Dr. Wake's was not such as most London physicians would care to engage and Mr. Browne in the 3rd act made us hope the Church has not quite yet been driven to accept such recruits.

The Bishop was amusing if somewhat low comedy, being personated by Major Clark.

Anthony, Mr. Wildblood, was I suppose good as I hardly remember him.

I might, I think, almost say that Duff Wynterden, excellently taken by Captain Fetherstonhaugh, was the best of the men, only one must allow, at any rate some small discount, for the nature of the part. It was of the sort in which almost every speech raises a laugh. Still justice must be done to a well thought out performance, which was never allowed to sink below the high standard the actor had evidently set himself. He was, too, extremely natural the whole way through.

Whatever faults may have been found with the acting cannot help placing on record the fact that the Company was an exceptionally strong one. It is but seldom we are fortunate enough in Simla to see so many good actors in one play.

They are generally, I was going to say, spread out thinly.

It is the all round excellence of the acting as a whole that has evoked a serious criticism.

I would add that the scenery was very poor. Even the drawing room interior by far the best scene, looked as if the ceiling has been forgotten and one had been a borrowed hastily from some other house at the last minute. In the third act the height of the horizon made us feel thankful, the stage remained unflooded.

BHOWNAGAR NOTES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BHOWNAGAR, JUNE 16.

Over fifty thousand packages are lying at the Bhownagar Bunder awaiting shipment to Bombay. The other day Mr. Dinshaw Bamonji, an adventurous merchant, telegraphed to Messrs. Nicholson and Company, to charter a steamer, but the Company could not spare any for the purpose. The railway authorities also wired to send two

THE UNREST AND THE COMMONS.

LABOUR MEMBERS HECKLE MR. MORLEY.

Further Enquiry Refused.

EXTRAORDINARY COMMENT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, JUNE 18.

In the House of Commons, replying to a string of questions—mostly from Labour Members and Nationalists—Mr. Morley said that it was untrue to say that there was no connection between Lajpat Rai and Ajit Singh.

He repeated that it would be entirely averse to the public interest to enter into the details and circumstances which the Government of India, with the full consent of the Secretary of State, thought justified the application of the Law of 1818, which was the law of the land.

Mr. Lipton asked: "If the return of Lajpat Rai is so dangerous, will Mr. Morley enquire into the causes of the disaffection?"

Mr. Morley replied: "I am enquiring into it all day long."

Sir Henry Cotton suggested that Lajpat Rai was present at only one of Ajit Singh's meetings.

Mr. Morley dissented.

A tumultuous scene ensued through Sir Howard Vincent interjecting derisively: "Why not shoot Lajpat Rai?"

The Speaker and Mr. Morley strongly reprehended the expression.

Replying to Sir Henry Cotton, Mr. Morley said that he declined to enquire further into the complicity of Lajpat Rai and Ajit Singh, because he had had the advantage of a conversation with Sir Denzil Ibbetson.

They were State prisoners and were receiving maintenance allowances suitable to their position in life.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

The *Times*, in a leading article, says that the persistent heckling of Mr. Morley by the slaves of Radical dogmas and by Nationalists, who ever seek to vilify the British name has shown that Mr. Morley is not to be badgered into departing from a determination that he has deliberately formed.

THE SITUATION IN FRANCE

Government Action.

TROOPS MASSING IN THE SOUTH.

A SIGNIFICANT COMPARISON.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

M. Clemenceau announced in the Chamber that the time had come to assert the supremacy of the law in the South, and warrants had been issued for the arrest of the principal rebels.

He demanded the adjournment of the debate on the Government's conduct, which the Chamber voted by 412 to 158.

M. Ribot, urging the support of the Government, saw the situation was the most serious since 1870.

Trains full of troops are passing Toulouse all day and night *en route* for the disturbed districts.

The tocsin was rung at Narbonne, and the people rushed into the streets and began erecting barricades; but they desisted at the request of the ex-Mayor, one of the leaders of the agitation saying that they did not want bloodshed and that he would surrender to justice.

LATER.

Ferroul, one of the leaders of the agitation who volunteered to surrender, was arrested at dawn this morning and removed to Montpellier. There was no disturbance, the town being overwhelmingly occupied by troops.

An imposing Military force has gone to Argelliers for the purpose of arresting Albert, the principal leader of the agitation. The town is surrounded by peasant sentries who, on horses and cycles, notify the approach of the enemy.

An infantry regiment at Aurillac became mutinous, the men singing the "International." The mutiny was suppressed. The mutiny at Larzac is denied.

The greatest sympathy is felt in France for the distress in the South, but it is pointed out that insurrection cannot relieve the glutted wine market which is the cause of the trouble.

ASCOT GOLD CUP STOLEN.

Police Outwitted.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

The Ascot Gold Cup was stolen during the racing, the attention of the Constable and Assistant in charge being diverted.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

Another Stroke Rumoured.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

Mr. Chamberlain came to London yesterday.

It is rumoured in the Lobby that he has had another stroke.

AMERICA AND PERSIA.

New Minister for Teheran.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

Mr. John Jackson has been appointed American Minister to Persia.

CRICKET.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

Middlesex has beaten Kent by ten wickets.

Sussex has beaten Yorkshire by 65 runs.

Surrey has beaten Cambridge University by eight wickets.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

The death has occurred of Professor Herschel.

[Alexander Stewart Herschel was Professor of Physics and Experimental Philosophy in Durham College of Science, Newcastle-on-Tyne.]

THE MAYORIAL VISIT TO GERMANY.

Burgomaster's Reference to Waterloo.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, JUNE 19.

Replying to a toast proposed by the Burgomaster of Chalottenburg who referred to Waterloo, the Lord Mayor dwelt on the changes time had wrought. France, he said, was our staunchest friend. He hoped that the three great nations would dwell together in amity.

THE UNITED STATES AND CHINESE INDEMNITY.

Mr. Roosevelt Recommends Remission.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

President Roosevelt recommends Congress to release China from the Boxer Indemnity except eleven million dollars, which was the actual expenditure to which the United States was put and of which six millions has already been paid.

THE DISSOLUTION OF THE DUMA.

Reactionaries Rejoice.

MUTINY AT KIEFF.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

The Tsar, in acknowledging the thanks of the Reactionary Union of the Russian people for the dissolution of the Duma, said: "May the Union be my firm support and be an example to everybody of loyalty and order."

Five hundred troops have mutinied at Kieff, but the movement has been suppressed. A Captain was killed and 63 men were killed and wounded in the fusillade which took place between the mutineers and other troops.

THE ROYAL HUNT CUP.

Result and Starting Prices.

LONDON, JUNE 19.

The result of the race for the Hunt Cup is as follows:—

Lally	1
Andover	2
Malua	3

There were twenty-four starters. Won by half a length with three lengths separating the second and third horses.

The betting was 100 to 6 Lally, 13 to 2 Andover and 100 to 6 Malua.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JUNE 19.

The following is the result of the race for the Royal Hunt Cup:—

Mr. W. B. Purefoy's ..... Lally	1
Mr. F. Alexander's ..... Andover	2
Mr. G. Faber's ..... Malua	3

Also ran:—Mr. J. B. Joel's Dean Swift; Captain C. P. B. Wood's Roseate Dawn; Mr. R. J. Farquharson's Dalkeith; Mr. Reid Walker's Dinneford; Mr. W. Bass's Gold Riach; Mr. Euphrusi's Champ d'Or; Mr. F. S. Barnard's Kaffir Chief; Mr. T. E. Liddiard's Succory; Lord Derby's Persimus; Mr. H. M Hartigan's Rarer Sort; Mr. J. Daly's Lalla Rookh; Mr. J. D. Wardel's Lord Carton; Mr. H. Barnato's Absurdity; Duke of Devonshire's Hillsprite; Mr. W.M. Singer's Lischana; Mr. P. Nelke's Summer; Mr. R. J. K. Mott's Offer; Capt. Laing's Paddington; Mr. T. Corn's Romney; Mr. G. A. Prentice's Dalharoo; and Mr. B. Gottschalk's Deespour.

Starting Prices:—16 Lally, 6 Andover, and 16 Malua.

THE MEDITERRANEAN COMMAND.

Offer to the Duke of Connaught.

QUESTION OF HEAD-QUARTERS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, JUNE 19.

The *Pioneer's* London Military Correspondent writes:—

The Duke of Connaught, since his return from his tour in the East, has been definitely offered the new post of Commander-in-Chief in the Mediterranean, but his acceptance is provisional pending further discussion on the character of the new post.

The point of contention is that Cairo and not Malta should be the headquarters. The Duke's presence at the latter place, overshadowing as it would the General Commanding at Malta, would, it is considered, minimise altogether the position of that General and prevent the local post being accepted by a good man.

If the Duke's appointment is really to command the Mediterranean, his place of office, it is contended, should surely be Egypt as a link between Home and India. Thus Gibraltar would feed Malta and Malta would feed Egypt, whose forces would pass on to India in case of emergency.

Egypt, which ought to have a complete division of troops, is of paramount importance now, because the situation there is unsettled and disaffection is rife, and also because—although the Government have practically agreed to the Indian re-distribution scheme and also in part to Lord Kitchener's strategical railway—suggestions for reinforcements from England have been disallowed or rather rendered impossible by reducing the Army at Home. It is, therefore, abundantly evident that Egypt might at any time become the vital centre, and surely the new supreme authority in the Mediterranean would be more fittingly located there than at Malta, where wireless telegraphy forms the means of communication with the more vital part of the consolidated command, which possesses a frontier and natives with a policy.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

The following is the list of undelivered Messages in the Central Telegraph Office, Bombay:—

Bhusaval, Arjunrao, Ramayarow Kadam sepoy near Ramoshi barvi; Attara, Rahmookha Scooti Mohalla Payaroadus house; Amroha Nisarahmad Junia Inambara sayed Hidayathosaino factory; By Pydhoni, Dharamsi Jadav Bangalow avdulla Khandwani care of sender; Dhariwal, Mr. Graham, care of station master.

LALA DINA NATH'S PROSECUTION.

Case to be Heard on 20th.

BAIL REFUSED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHORE, JUNE 19.

An application was made to the Deputy Commissioner of Lahore by Mr. Ganpat Rai, Barrister-at-Law, for bail on behalf of Lala Dinna Nath, Editor of the *Hindustan*, who, as reported yesterday, has been arrested on charges under sections 109, 124-A, 131 and 135 of the Indian Penal Code.

Mr. Mant, after reading the petition, said he would pass orders after hearing what Mr. Bevan Petman, Assistant Legal Remembrencer, had to say.

Mr. Petman being out of the station, Mr. Ganpat Rai again appeared before the Deputy Commissioner. He said that there was no proof that the prisoner was the Manager of the *Hindustan* press, but was merely the Editor and Proprietor of *India* which was always hostile to the *Hindustan*, in proof of which Counsel read certain extracts from the former paper. Lala Dinna Nath was only charged with abetment and his release would not affect the prosecution one way or the other.

The Deputy Commissioner directed the application to be made again to-day when orders were passed refusing bail.

To-morrow, Thursday, has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

EKDALA AND KISHORE RIOTS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JUNE 19.

A Ghoramalra telegram, dated yesterday, says that Washed Hossain with Maulvi Imdad Ali Khan arrived here yesterday to defend the persons connected with the Ekdala and Kishore riots. About 236 persons are now in custody.

Petitions for bail will be moved to-day on arrival of he District Magistrate.

Two dismissed Mahomedan constables who were arrested for exciting Mahomedans while dressed in police garb, have been enlarged on bail.

Hindus stood sureties for them.

SEDITIOUS BENGAL PAPERS.

Initiation of Proceedings Contradicted.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JUNE 19.

In connection with the impending prosecution of certain Calcutta Native papers, the *Indian Daily News* this morning says—

The following are the true facts—

(1) No papers have been proceeded against in Bengal for sedition. The *Jugantar* affair appears to be purely a breach of the ordinary Press registration under the Press Act.

(2) No notice has been served upon *Bande Mataram* by the police, either on Monday or previously.

(3) The *Bande Mataram* has not been threatened with prosecution under the Sedition sections of the Penal Code.

(4) There was no meeting of the Directors of *Bande Mataram* on Monday afternoon, because there was nothing to give occasion for one.

(5) *Sandhya* has not been similarly treated.

(6) Mr. Gait's letter was dated June 3rd and reached *Bande Mataram* by post on June 8th—over a week ago.

DISTURBANCES IN RAJSHAHI.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JUNE 19.

A Rajshahi letter dated the 14th instant to the *Empire* says:—The unrest in Rajshahi, thanks to the energetic action of the local authorities, is settling down. Out of 178 persons arrested in connection with the Kishore Hat case two have died from their injuries and the rest will be placed on their trial before a Special Court for which a Mahomedan Deputy Magistrate has been sent from Malda.

Three cases of forcible conversion of Hindus has been instituted, two at Sudder and one at Natore.

Some cases of oppression by Mahomedans upon their co-religionists for their unwillingness to join the anti-Hindu cause have also been instituted.

Twenty-five Military Police and twenty-five Gurkhas are coming to-day. The District Magistrate is again going out to villages to allay the unrest that still lingers in isolated quarters.

AMALGAMATION OF SOUTH INDIA RAILWAYS.

Headquarters at Madras.

CONFERENCE TO SIT AT BANGALORE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JUNE 19.

Information has reached Poona to the effect that the Southern Maharatta Railway is to be amalgamated with the Madras Railway from 1st January 1908. The Secretary of State has arranged with the Chairman of the S. M. Railway Board in London to remove the Railway Headquarters from Dharwar to Madras. The amalgamation will necessarily stimulate a diversion of the export trade from the Southern Maharatta area to Madras, instead of, as at present, tapping the Portuguese port of Marmagao, particularly as it is contemplated to extend the narrow guage line from Guntakal and Bangalore direct to Madras.

Major Carter, R. E., will probably be Deputy Agent of the Amalgamated Railways, and Colonel Burn Murdock, Agent of the combined system, with his Headquarters at Madras.

A Railway Conference will be held at Bangalore next month when Mr. Upcott, President of the Railway Board, will meet the Agents of the G. I. P. Railway, the South Indian Railway, the Southern Maharatta Railway, and the Madras Railway, to confer with them with regard to the working of the combined systems when Government takes over the Madras Railway.

POLICE vs. PRESS.

Close of Proceedings.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JUNE 19.

The hearing of the case in which Hem Chunder Lahiri, of the Calcutta Police, sues the *Indian Daily News* for Rs. 3,000 damages, came to a conclusion yesterday before Mr. Justice Chitty.

Mr. Knight, Barrister, addressed the Court for two days on behalf of the defence, and then Babu Chuckerbutty, Barrister, for the plaintiff, was heard in reply.

His Lordship reserved judgment.

The next case, of Mr. Aldridge against the publishers of *India*, was then taken up, and Mr. Dimsdale, of the Calcutta Tramways Company, was examined, who deposed to reading comments in the papers, from which he gathered that they referred to Messrs. Aldridge and Ellis.

This closed the case.

Babu Chuckerbutty said that they were willing to accept His Lordship's decision on these two cases subject to the right of appeal. What he meant was that if there was a decree in favour of the defendants, that decree should be a decree in the other four suits and *vice versa*.

Mr. Justice Chitty remarked:—"There might be a decree in favour of say one and not a decree, in my opinion, in favour of the others. It is possible that there may be a decree in the case of Lahiri and not in the case of the others."

THE ARBUTHNOT CASE.

Liabilities to the Madras Bank.

CHARGES IN THE INDUSTRIALS CASE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, JUNE 19.

In the hearing of the Arbuthnot Case yesterday, when the Court reassembled after luncheon, Mr. Malcolm Arbuthnot, Attorney for Arbuthnots' Industrials, Limited, was examined in chief by Mr. Powell. Witness produced a number of letters, etc., regarding Arbuthnots' Industrials' Debentures. When questioned by Mr. Powell, the witness said that there were shareholders in the Mysore Sugar Company. Witness also identified letters shewn him, to be all in Sir George's handwriting.

Mr Richardson, Assistant in the Bank of Madras, then produced certified copies of the Mysore Sugar Company's Debentures for five lakhs. Witness also produced a certificate showing the total liabilities of the Mysore Sugar Company and Arbuthnots' Industrials to the Bank of Madras. A certified copy of the Subsidiary Register of Securities held by the Bank of Madras was next filed by witness.

Mr. C. M. Orr, being duly sworn, produced a draft of the Trust Deed of Arbuthnots' Industrials.

Sir H. King objected to it going in. He said that secondary evidence was admissible only when primary evidence proved to be unobtainable. His Worship on this asked Mr. Orr if he knew where the original Trust Deed was. Witness replied that to the best of his knowledge it must be in the office safe. His Worship asked the witness to produce the document during the day.

Mr. Powell at this stage wished to draw the attention of the Court to the fact that though the present was a Government prosecution and Messrs. Orr, David and Brightwell were Government Solicitors, yet the latter were trying to put all sorts of obstacles in the way of the prosecution.

LATER.

In the Arbuthnot case to-day Mr. C. Moresby, an Assistant of Messrs. Orr, David, and Brightwell, examined by Mr. Powell, said:—

I produce the original Trust Deed of the Industrials for Mr. Sutherland Orr. It was signed by Mr. Orr. There was also Sir George Arbuthnot's signature to it.

Witness here asked permission to explain one matter. He understood that Mr. Powell had complained yesterday evening of certain obstacles having been put in the way of the prosecution by Messrs. Orr, David and Brightwell. He wished to say that these obstacles were all of Mr. Powell's own making. A line sent across to witness to his office before the subpœna would have ensured the production of the document. The remarks made by Mr. Powell were quite uncalled for. Mr. Powell replied that his remarks were made with reference to a gentleman who gave evidence in the box yesterday. His Worship would remember that after considering for some time who had the original document witness made some flippant remarks with regard to it. Witness finally told them that after they had given up all hopes that the original document was in his Office, and when he was asked why he did not produce it, he replied that he personally did not get a subpœna to produce it.

The Court:—It is a pity that there has been this misunderstanding.

Mr. Moresby:—Mr. Powell's office and our office are in the same buildings. A chit across would have secured what he wanted.

Mr. Powell then filed the insolvency schedule of Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., proved by Sir George Arbuthnot and Mr. Young's signatures thereto. He then proceeded to refer to certain portions of the cross-examination of Sir George Arbuthnot, in the Insolvency Court.

Sir Henry King asked the Court to note his objection to this being admitted. The Court had already overruled his objection in the other case. He merely wished his objection should be again noted.

Portions of cross-examination of Sir George Arbuthnot in the Insolvency Court were at this stage read and marked. This being concluded Mr. Powell handed over to the Court a rough draft of charges which he suggested should be framed in the Industrials case.

His Worship said he would look through them and frame the charges.

Mr. Powell intimated to the Court that he was leaving for Coonoor to-day and Mr. Short for Yercaud. They would, therefore, not be in Court on Monday.

His Worship said that their attendance was not necessary, but that he would direct the production of acoused and read out the charges to him on Monday next.

INDIAN RAILWAY CONFERENCE ASSOCIATION.

Appointment of Permanent Secretary.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, JUNE 19.

The Railway Board has now approved of the appointment of a whole-time Secretary for the Indian Railway Conference Association, on a salary of Rs. 1,100 per mensem, and Mr. D. Ross-Johnson, of the Madras Railway, is prepared to resign his post on the Madras Railway to take up the appointment, but he wishes to proceed to England first and join his appointment in January, 1908. The President of the Association considers this should be agreed to, and has circulated the papers for the votes of the Members of the Association.

The Railway Board has also sanctioned a lump sum allotment of Rs. 40,000, annually, for the establishment and incidental expenses of the Indian Railway Conference Association which will be charged to the Railways forming parties to the Conference in proportion to their mileage.

The salary of the Secretary is not to exceed Rs. 2,000 a month, and no other appointment under the Association is to carry a higher salary than Rs. 250 per mensem without the sanction of the Government of India.

No Railway Official is to receive any remuneration from the Association without the permission of the Government of India.

FATAL RAILWAY ACCIDENT NEAR BANGALORE.

A Police Constable Killed.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, JUNE 19.

A curious yet painful accident occurred near Bangalore yesterday evening on the Madras Railway line, resulting in the death of Head Constable Hanuman Singh of the Bangalore Central Station. The deceased was walking with two friends along the line, between Whitefield and Krishnajapuram stations and as they were crossing the small bridge over the mountain torrent, a passenger train from Whitefield overtook them. The two men, who were with the Constable immediately jumped off the bridge into the stream to avoid danger. But the Constable, who was petrified with fear, could not move. He was run into by the train and was badly injured, and died three hours later in great agony.

MYSORE SERVICE.

Retirements and Extensions.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, JUNE 18.

The Mysore Government publishes orders retiring, with effect from the 1st of July next, the following officers of the Civil Service:—

Colonel J. P. Grant, Survey and Settlement Commissioner; Mr. N. Purnaiya, Excise Commissioner and Inspector General of Registration; Mr. W. Vinicombe Davy, Deputy Excise Commissioner.

Mr. John Cook, Principal, Central College, retires on 23rd April, 1908, on attaining 60 years.

Mr. J. Cameron, Superintendent, Government Gardens and Museum, is granted an extension till 1st January, 1908.

Mr. H. Donne, Assistant Military Secretary, is granted an extension up to 1st July, 1908.

Mr. H. J. Bhabha, Inspector-General of Education, is granted an extension till 1st July, 1908.

NOTES ON INDIAN INTERESTS.

THOUGHTS BY A NATIVE THINKER.

A MATRIMONIAL MILLENNIUM

It is hopeless to expect the fulfilment of the ideal of universal marriage on the basis of universal brotherhood set up by Mrs. Frances Swiney in a recent number of *East and West*. She maintains that political freedom and autonomy cannot be enjoyed by a people unless they are consolidated into one nation with a unity of ideals, as well as of interests; and that intermarriage, without let or hindrance, is the only means of securing it. Pushing her doctrine to its logical conclusion, she advocates intermarriage—"the supreme lesson of human amalgamation," as she calls it—between the rulers and the ruled in India. She draws an analogy from the matrimonial union which successive conquerors of Great Britain had with the subject race, contributing by that means to the virtues and virility of the composite British nation. The analogy is false on the face of it, because in Great Britain the union was of the West with the West, and not of the West with the East. The general condition of the Eurasians of India is not favourable to a matrimonial alliance between two races as far apart as the antipodes from one another. We must dismiss this idea as an idle dream, which, supposing it ever came to be accomplished, would result in the inevitable degradation of the whites. Mrs. Swiney treads upon comparatively surer ground when she says that the political salvation of India will only be possible when the interminable divisions of castes and creeds are effaced; and she offers again the panacea of intermarriage as the only solvent for destroying these differences. I am afraid that even for this consummation we must wait till the millennium.

CASTE AND INTERMARRIAGE.

Caste, with its untold divisions and sub-divisions, is so rigid and exclusive; each little community guards with such jealous care the barriers within which it chooses to confine itself, that it forbids intermarriage even between those sections of Hindus, which are so far equal to one another in religious standing and communal affinity as to have no objection to dine together. The efforts of social reformers among the Hindus have, for the present, been very properly directed towards establishing intermarriage between castes which freely join with one another at dinner. The matrimonial restriction operates most prejudicially upon the welfare of castes. It is not an uncommon occurrence in a small self-contained sect that the proportion of eligible males to females is inconveniently large, and poor youths, cruelly restricted in their choice, are hard put to it for brides. The girls' parents, in obedience to the law of supply and demand, sell their children to the highest bidder, reducing matrimony to a purely commercial bargain. One evil leads to another, and when men find themselves unable to marry in their own little community, they go far afield to marry girls of inferior castes, and when they are brought home, they are palmed off as members of their own particular sect. If the personation is skilful enough, no questions are asked and no inquiry is made. But when the suspicion of caste is aroused, it does not rest until a strict inquiry is made. Such inquiry is now in progress among the Jain Dasa Oswals of Surat, who have been greatly scandalized by the report that some of its members have contracted a left-handed alliance. About a dozen families have been threated with ostracism on this account, and the result of the investigation is awaited with the keenest interest by the Jain community.

A PECULIAR MARRIAGE CUSTOM.

Among the Kadwa Kanbis of Gujerat the marriage season comes round once every twelve years. Like all the customs of the Hindus, it is supposed to have religious sanction. When the occasion, long-wished for, arrives, the goddess is consulted as to the auspicious period for celebrating the marriage festival, and I should think that a marriage is then celebrated in every family belonging to this sect. Now or never, is the question. There is a hurry to unite all and sundry in the holy bonds of wedlock, for a cessation of twelve years is long and trying; many untoward things might happen in the interval, and even infants cannot be left to linger so long unmated. Indeed, so great is the anxiety of parents to make the most of the opportunity, that sometimes even the unborn babe, before it sees the light of day, is united with another in the same position. There is a convenient arrangement that should the children when they are born, happen to be of the same sex, there should be a voluntary dissolution. Against this stringent caste rule, two members have lately revolted, having celebrated marriages without any reference to the sanctified time or season, or to the injunctions of their favourite divinity. I take a brief note of this fact as showing that time is slowly asserting itself in quarters which might have been supposed to be impervious to its influence.

MRS. BESANT ON WESTERN EDUCATION.

Mrs. Annie Besant, the devout worshipper at the shrine of Eastern religions and literatures, contributes an eloquent paper to the *Central Hindu College Magazine*, lamenting the general result of Western education pursued by the people of India, to the exclusion of their own ancient literature. The impulse having been given to this education fifty years ago, and the people being sensible of the material advantages of the instruction patronized by the State, it is as futile to attempt to lure them back to a purely oriental study, as it would be to set back the hands of the clock. Ordinary people take to education as a means to an end. The end may be too gross and vulgar for the altruistic soul of Mrs. Besant; but average men and women can only be measured by the ordinary standard of life, and they will always be subject to worldly passions, desires and ambitions. She deplores the elder grace and dignity and comeliness which have vanished under the influence of the West. She deplores the hybrid type of humanity produced by foreign culture in an unsuitable soil. There have been losses as well as gains, but the gains preponderate over the losses so immensely that, in my opinion, Western education is one of the greatest blessings of British rule in India. For better or for worse, India has drunk of "the tigress's milk," and she will always be asking for more. Another world, with new ideas and longings, new thoughts and feelings, has opened before her eyes; and she will not hearken to the voice of the high priestess of the East crying in the wilderness. It is a touching, a moving call; but time itself is arrayed against it, and there is no bringing back the past. Under the energizing influence of the West, men of contemplation must give way to men of action, preferring a life of struggle and strenuous activities, to placid dreaming and abstract metaphysics. The most bigoted of Swadeshists will not elect to turn away from English education as a form of Bideshi, unworthy of his country and his patriotism.

HARD UPON MISSION SCHOOLS.

Mrs. Besant is rather hard upon Government educational institutions. But she is particularly severe upon Missionary establishments. "The effect of the pure secularism of the Government Schools," she says, "was to push religion into the background, but they left untouched the blessed influence of the home. The effect of the religious teachings in the Missionary schools was far more disastrous; they withered up the tender shoots of faith in the hearts of the boys, trampled the fertile soil of devotion into an arid desert, too hard and dry to nourish the germs of any religion; they made sceptics and materialists out of Hindus and Muslims, and destroyed the basis of ethics by destroying religion in their hearts." Missionaries will be startled to hear that the institutions which are maintained by them for the ulterior purpose of developing faith and propagating religion, could only turn out atheists and sceptics and scoffers. We can understand the reason of their failure to achieve much success in their proselytising mission. But we cannot understand why their teachings and their example should have the effect of turning away their pupils from all religion, including the religion of their fathers. I have never noticed any difference in the religious sense of Indians who have been educated at a Missionary school, from those of persons who have received instruction at a Government institution. Had Mission schools been productive of the monstrosities fancied by Mrs. Besant, Indian parents would never have continued to send their children to these schools, as they are freely doing to this day; and Missionaries having found their occupation gone, would have had to shut up their establishments and return home. The natives are not afraid that Bible teaching will lead to atheism, which is impossible in the very nature of things. They are, perhaps, afraid that it may lead to Christianity. But so long as instances of the conversion of pupils are extremely rare, they are not afraid to send their boys to these schools, and the pupils in after life gratefully acknowledge the benefits of the education received at these institutions.

BONFIRE OF MR. MORLEY'S BOOKS.

It is reported that Bengalee students are going to purchase in Calcutta every available copy of Mr. Morley's works and make a bonfire of them. With all their excesses, I should never have thought them capable of an act of such supreme folly, such wanton and meaningless mischief. Even to state that the proceedings will do no harm to Mr. Morley, would be an insult to the great scholar and statesman. If I were an author, I should wish for enemies like these to burn my books periodically. I, as well as my publishers, would thank them for their consuming kindness. The students do need proper handling and guidance for their own good. They are left too much to themselves, and their parents are primarily responsible for their license. If they are allowed to go their own way, theirs alone will be the loss and the misfortune. I should rather wish them to make a close study of Mr. Morley's works, particularly his books on Compromise and Edmund Burke, whereby they can study the man and correctly understand and appreciate his actions. But their minds just now are hopelessly out of tune with sense and reason.

DION.

CHEMISTRY AND INDUSTRY.

We have received a copy of a lecture delivered at the Industrial Conference held last March in Surat. The author, Mr. Darab Dinsha Kanga, M. A., takes the very enthusiastic view of his subject that is generally produced by the history of chemical manufacture and development in Europe, and particularly that of the utilisation of what were previously regarded and treated as waste products. It is true that the wonders accomplished by the aid of chemical knowledge have furnished some of the most fascinating "fairy tales of science," but Indian readers and students alike must not forget that progress in chemistry ran parallel with, or was the outcome of, a widespread progress in other arts, and that these factors in industrial advancement must run together. Japan, whose recent progress is so often referred to as an example to India, was centuries in advance (industrially) of the latter country before the need of reading and writing was felt by the working classes. Had it not been so, the recent extraordinary progress of the people would have been impossible. Bombay, with all its resources in instruction—we had almost said, education—has not yet succeeded in manufacturing its own sulphuric acid, in spite of the existence of excellent sulphur in Northern India. The one attempt at this manufacture died out about twenty years ago.

Mr. Kanga is rather unfortunate in one of his principal examples of the value of chemical knowledge. He devotes a full page to estimates of the losses due to the deposits of lime on the heating surfaces of a modern steam boiler. Beginning with a deposit 1/6 inch thick, which demands the use of 16 per cent. more fuel, he follows the incrustation to 1/2 inch, which, he says, would demand 150 per cent. more fuel, increasing the cost for steam raising alone, by Rs. 89,100 per annum in a cotton mill. A modern high-pressure boiler would collapse long before it got a coating of half an inch of lime on the inner heating surfaces. We however fully agree with what Mr. Kanga says on the subject of impure water issued for industrial purposes such as the making of paper, sugar, ice, aerated waters, cider, beers, and for bleaching, laundry work, tanning, dyeing, etc. This matter has been grossly neglected in India to the great loss of industrial profits. Many of the accidents to steam boilers in this country are directly traceable to the use of impure water or to attempts made to purify it within the boilers, instead of in separate apparatus and before use. Mr. Kanga is unstinted in his admiration of the State aid accorded in Germany to chemical study which has brought about such a marvellous increase in industrial prosperity. It has also resulted in such an over-supply of chemists, that numbers of them cannot, after years of hard study, obtain employment. It would not take long to overstock India with chemists, but it will take a considerable time for manufacturers and municipalities to appreciate their value and give them a fair chance to earn a living. Chemistry in India will have to hasten slowly, for it is not a mere question of acquiring so much chemical knowledge or even of capital to start new works, that stands in the way. There is a slackness in the Indian character, to be overcome, which loves short cuts towards its object and ignores fixed and definite standards of excellence. Even the best soaps made in the country have a large excess of water in them, and similar defects are found in many other Indian products.

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY OF A SAFE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

RANGOON, JUNE 19.

Mr. Pennell, Barrister-at-Law, reported to the police of the Pantsodan Guard that when he left his Office yesterday evening, he left Fazil Ahmed, his Durwan, in charge. On entering his Office this morning he was astounded upon learning that a safe standing five feet high, the property of Mr. Lambert, his partner, now in England, was missing. Upon making enquiries he was told by some of the neighbours that the Durwan had been noticed taking away a safe yesterday evening on a hand-cart. He went east and as the theft was perpetrated in such a barefaced manner in broad daylight suspicion was disarmed.

In the missing safe was a sum of Rs. 500 and a number of valuable documents. When the Durwan was leaving the Office, he is alleged to have remarked to a betelnut seller that he was taking the safe away to have it repaired. The police have just discovered that the supposed thief has gone by boat to Chittagong and have telegraphed thither.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

BOMBAY, ARRIVALS, JUNE 19.—Howell, Lt., 15th Lancers, on leave from Australia.

Forman, Col. R.A.M.C., from leave, from Ootacamund.

DEPARTURES, JUNE 19.—Evans, Capt., R. E., on reversion, to England.

Buist, Major, 29th Lancers, on leave to Poona.

Mallison, Lt., Cheshire Regt., on leave, to England.

Adshead, Lt., Cheshire Regt., on leave, to England.

Cotgrave, Major, 38th Cavalry, on furlough, to England.

Kenaman, Capt., R.H.A., to join, to Bangalore.

Tilney, Capt., 14th Hussars, to re-join, to Bangalore.

Denison, Lt., R.E., to join, to Jubbulpore.

Stock, Lt., R.E., to join, to Lucknow.

Crawford, Capt. R.G.A., on transfer to Roorkee.

Hoswell, Lt., R.E., to join, to Lahore.

SIMLA, JUNE 19.

Capt. West, 12th Battery, R.F.A., is appointed Adjt. of the 46th Brigade, R.F.A.

The following Officers of the British Service are appointed to the Indian Army and posted as stated:—

2nd-Lt. Astley, 2nd Bn., East Surrey Regt., to the 37th Dogras.

Lt. D. Macpherson, 2nd Bn. South Staffordshire Regt., to the 10th Jats.

Lieut. H. E. Medlicott, R.F.A., to the 3rd Horse.

Lieut. Logan, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to the 5th Light Infantry.

Lieut. Whittell, 1st Royal Sussex Regt., to the 56th Rifles.

Lieut. Whitaker of the East Lancashire Regt., to the 2nd Bn. 10th Gurkhas.

Lieut. Ryan of the Royal Sussex Regt., to the 1st Bn., 6th Gurkhas.

Lieut. Harrison of the 125th Rifles, has been nominated for appointment to the Military Accounts Department.

The death is reported of Lieutenant F. A. C. Downes of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, at Ferozepore, on the 16th of June from enteric fever.

FOR THE POONA SEASON.

Hints for the Garden and the Kitchen.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JUNE 18.

Achimenes, which were transplanted into baskets at the beginning of the month, should be well started, and ready for liquid manure. Once a week, fill in any failures with a reserve supply of plants, so as to have a perfect mass of blooms, and keep the baskets well off the ground to prevent them being spattered with mud during heavy rain.

Here is a suggestion. How would it be if a visiting committee were appointed, funds collected, and prizes given for the best flower garden of the season, following the lines of the usual Flower Show catalogue, that is, private gardens competing against each other, public ditto. Those wishing to compete would have their gardens twice inspected: once in August and once in September, prizes being given also for best baskets, and pots of flowers, cut blooms, etc.? I believe gardens would be all the brighter and better for this plan. At present the malees grow their one, or two, specialities for the Show. Under the above plan, they would not know which days the committee were coming in August, and would go on keeping things at their best well into September.

I hear the Bishop is going home, so think it is the very year to have a change and give the above a trial, instead of the usual Council Hall Flower Show; as what is a Flower Show without a Bishop? It is the one fashionable gathering of the season where he can meet the flowers of his flock, and talk roses, and things, over in a friendly way.

Could the plan be adopted to quite another scheme? Here, in the Cantonment, many of us suffer from our neighbours' compounds. Let us have a paid committee in this case, who would visit all compounds and inspect servants' quarters, etc., giving prizes for back premises in best order for the season, and who should have the power of reporting to the authorities and getting fines levied on those who keep horses, a cow, a buffalo and fowls in close quarters, and who do not consider that "cleanliness is next to godliness."

There is no worse smell than from cook-room water, if allowed to stand. It is so easy not to be annoyed with it if the sweeper is made to empty the tins on to different parts of the compound twice a day; it will do the grass good where the horses get a bite, or the shrub fence will be the better for it. Here again a little tip works wonders. The sweepers do not like carrying the buckets or tins full to the extreme points of the garden, but they will do so for a very few annas extra a month. All these items can easily be met by cutting a luxury. I never allow the dhobie to wash out of my compound. He is only allowed to remain in my service, on condition that he keeps to a strict rule of emptying his tubs of dirtiest water, as above, and moving his washing board constantly, plenty of drainage-stones being placed where he washes, so that he has a dry standing and there must be some waste water near his work. I make use of this by planting Banana all round; they thrive very well, and I get lovely bunches of fine fruit which repay all expenses. There are many sorts, but I think the most satisfactory is the little yellow; it has a fine skin—*sonkale*, the natives call the variety. They can be planted now. Have the place for them well drained, and on it place plenty of strong manure, and earth—not the kind that will turn into clay with the wet, but a few cart loads of porous earth and road sweepings in which there will be sand to help the drainage. The little shoots before planting should be soaked in water, in which earth and cow-dung have been mixed. Plant 9 feet apart and shade when the sun is hot. If monsoon rain comes on very heavily, care must be taken to lead the water from settling round the young plants before they are established. The waste water must only irrigate through the beds, as, if the plant stands in water it will rot. As they grow, care must be taken to tie them to strong posts, without they are in a very sheltered position. They are most useful plants in a garden as they will eat up all sorts of rubbish and be the better for it, say, the sweepings of the fowl house, any bits of oil cake left from the cow, and there is nothing better for them than all the kitchen scraps, fish cleanings, bits of meat, etc.; but whatever of this kind is put on, the bed must be at once dug in and covered with fresh earth, and fresh slaked lime put about to keep the rats away. As the Banana plant sops up a great deal of water, it is supposed to be a good preventitive against malaria.

I hope I have imbued all my establishment with the idea that rats come to a house for shelter and what they can find to eat. The best cure for the first is to have as little lumber of old boxes as possible,—and that moved constantly—bottles broken small and placed, say, behind the gram box or in other likely runs, corners of stable walls and cookhouse, care being taken to avoid putting the glass where the servants' feet will get cut: all food refuse should be burned or buried, and no c

the fire; serve with potato-balls. The bones can have a wee white-paper frill slipped on before serving.

A slice of ham, so perfectly cut that not even a "S. G. could send it back and ask for one better, served with dressed lettuce and apple charlotte to follow, must finish this meal. *Apropos* of the said S. G., it was at a big dinner in Poona. Our hostess was ill; he, a "guest," was helped to a slice of ham. He sent it away saying it was not cut properly; of course he ought to know all about cutting. Another was brought him. This pleased him no better, so he sent for the servant to bring him another; all this went on whilst we were waiting! I longed to have the ham dumped down in front of him.

Breakfast at 11 a.m, after a morning's hunting round Yerrowda, should commence with a basin of thick white soup, comforting as a bucket of gruel to a tired horse, a bit of fried fish with slice of lime the *piece de resistance*; only for a hunting morning when there is no office to follow; a *chateau briand* epicure insists he does not know it, so he must get the Club butcher to cut him the very best bit of rump steak and two other steaks, one on each side, about the size of dessert-plates and at least two inches thick. These are to be placed on the double grill, one on top of the other, the best in the centre. When necessary, turn the grill up-side-down, taking care to secure the gravy in the receiver first. When sufficiently cooked, remove the top steak and put the centre one on a hot plate and empty on to it a pate-de-foie. Melt before fire with salamander. Potatoes roasted in their skin can accompany this. This is essentially a man's dish and will require some practice to cook. The *chateau briand* should just be cooked through to a turn with all its gravy in it.

For the following Sunday breakfast, a Porterhouse steak may be ordered. Here again we must give some special instructions. The so-called steak is the end rib of beef which to all appearances is a magnified chop, which is just to be cooked on the grid like a mutton chop. Cook is not to be allowed to cut and trim. Cheese cakes after, and a bottle of porter, as they give you at the Holborn.

If the river is not too high, little fish can be caught amongst the islands above Holkar's bridge They are excellent, *en papillote*. Scrape and clean and wrap each fish in buttered paper, fold so that butter will not escape; place in pie dish, and pour a wineglass of sauterne, or any white wine you have open; bake in a little tin oven. The wine will make sufficient sauce. The fish are best served in the dish they are cooked in, placed in a silver one.

The above can all be cooked in the verandah, under master's eye. My host has done them all to perfection out here in a large hot case without a top. Plenty of room and a little culinary knowledge, quickly acquired with practice, is all Sahib wants to do himself, and friends above the average and his cook will very soon be the best in the station.

The popular Secretary W. I. T. C. has arrived; so we shall soon want our frocks. I am thankful to say *the* box has arrived. I have only time to tell you to-day of three which are going on to the upper regions, as a birthday present.

A white silk slip, a dress with ever so much of a tail made of white chiffon, and frilled high with such dainty little inch frills which give fullness round the feet without being obtrusive; over-skirt of chiffon gauze run with gold thread; a low court bodice and over-bodice of the gauze-lined chiffon, with garnitures on bodice and skirt of gold gauze roses and buds tied with ribbon to match—a perfect ball dress. A second over-skirt and bodice for the same skirt is a fine French muslin with hand-painted orchids, a blue serge with panels and facings of white cloth with large embroidered buttons, and a morning, pin stripe, French cambric,—testify to the fact that Marie's taste is good and she is to be trusted. I do not think Simla will see anything smarter for the season.

L. M.

HYDERABAD NEWS AND NOTES.

HYDERABAD, DECCAN, JUNE 17.

THE WEATHER.

There has been incessant rain for the last four or five days. The days have been cloudy and the nights cool, and there is now no trace of the hot-weather. The Public Offices have changed their hours of working, the morning hours giving way now to the day hours of 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Courts, however, are continuing the morning hours until next Saturday. Those who had migrated to the Hills and other places for the hot weather are begining to return, and the station is commencing to fill. The Residency Courts re opened to-day after the midsummer holidays.

SULTAN NAWUZ JUNG v. MOTILAL.

His Highness has passed orders in this important appeal, the papers of which were submitted to him by the Judicial Committee, before whom it was argued a few months ago. The appeal was based on two issues of law, namely, whether the case was admissible on the file on the ground that it was not stamped, and whether the suit was not bad in law by reason of non-joinder of parties. His Highness has decided both issues in favour of the Appellant, Nawab Sultan Nawaz Jung, Bahadur, as recommended by the Judicial Committee. Regarding the first issue, it is decided that the Nawab was entitled to exemption from stamp-duty as his original suit was filed in the Kazai-i-Arab (Court of the Arabs), where no stamp-duty was levied, the present case in the High Court having been transferred from the file of that Court on its abolition. On the other issue, His Highness has decided that it was not necessary for the Nawab to join the heirs of his brother Nawab Barak Jung as co-plaintiffs, as he can maintain the suit in his own name, the other members of the family being able to settle their own matter with the Nawab himself without any reference to the defendant. The case has thus been sent back to the Full Bench of the High Court for disposal on its merits, as that body had recorded no opinion upon the same and had thrown out the case on the issues of law alone.

TREACHER AND CO.

The forty-third annual ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of Messrs. Treacher and Company, Limited, was held yesterday in the Fort premises, Bombay, Mr. G. F. Horbury, Chairman of the Board of Directors, presiding. The report for the year ended 31st March showed that the volume of business continued to show a steady and satisfactory increase. The turn-over in the year exceeded that of any of the previous eight years: but competition was still extremely severe, and was likely to continue: the net profits, therefore, had not increased proportionately. The head-office was now situated in Fort: the building and stock were insured for Rs. 12,25,000 Out of Rs. 86,292 available as profits, Rs. 40 per share as dividend would absorb Rs. 80,000, and the balance of Rs. 6,292 would be carried forward to the new account. By the death of Mr. Alex. McKenzie, who was for 20 years Chairman, and Director for 26, the Company had lost an excellent officer, whose ability and forethought in past years largely contributed to raise the Company to the leading position it now held.

In moving the adoption of the report and accounts, the Chairman said that he hoped they would agree with him in thinking that the progress was satisfactory. There was no chance of relief in the face of severe competition: there were signs of enterprise, which were likely to make the business less remunerative. Competition compelled them to work for a minimum of profit: it was not surprising, therefore, that net profits increased not in relative proportion to the volume of business. In 1893-1900, for instance, the turn-over was less than this year; but the profit was greater. The amount in salaries this year was 15 per cent. less than in 1900 while the total expenses were something like 20 per cent. less: this was conclusive proof of the business being worked at the smallest possible cost, compatible with efficiency. The dividend of Rs. 40 per share was declared in view of the prospects of the coming year being specially satisfactory. Further depreciation of plant was not written down; as it had been already written down to what appeared to be actually less than its present intrinsic value. Inconvenience caused by the tightness of money the Company had shared: outstandings on both sides of the account were consequently somewhat large. London overdraft had been almost extinguished: credit outstandings were materially reduced.

The motion having been seconded, Dr. Master urged the necessity of keeping stock ledgers as recommended by the Committee. Mr. Ardeshir Lilawala and Mr. Cooverji M. Metha quoted suggestions and statistics, respectively, from vernacular newspapers.

The Chairman said there were difficulties in the way of keeping stock-ledgers: however, the Committee's suggestions about them were engaging the best attention of the directors.

The report and accounts were adopted: the dividend was declared. Mr. W. F. Hamilton, who retired, was re-elected a director, the appointments of Mr. H. Bicknell and of Mr. R. Paterson Brown as directors were confirmed. Messrs A. F. Ferguson and Co. and Messrs. Cornforth and Mistri, were appointed auditors for the year 1907-08, at a remuneration of Rs. 500 each.

The passing of the customary complimentary votes concluded the proceedings.

THE WEATHER.

The Monsoon.

A WELCOME BREAK.

After a continuous downpour of rain all day and night on Tuesday, yesterday morning opened a welcome break. A few stray showers were noticeable during the afternoon, but the sky remained generally clear. The impression that the present downpour was not the burst of *pukka* monsoon and that it was the result of the Cyclone, cannot be substained in face of the official report which states that rain has fallen along the Coast from Cochin to Bombay, and also at Bellary, Hyderabad (Deccan), Bangalore, Belgaum, Bijapur, Aurangabad, Ahmednagar, Poona, Malegaon, Surat, Nagpur, Hoshungabad, Veraval, Bhuj, Bhownagar, Dwarka, Neemuch, Jaipur and Karachi.

The largest quantity was recorded on Tuesday, the amount registered during the 24 hours ending 8 a. m. yesterday morning being 8·70, in the Esplanade, 8·20 in the Fort, and 7·11 at Byculla. The total rainfall, therefore, in Bombay, since 1st June upto 8 a. m. yesterday, was 21·44 in Byculla, 22·27 in the Fort, and 22·65 at the Esplanade.

On Tuesday evening a hut belonging to one Haji Oosman Haji Ibrahim and situated at Sowree Cross Road, Bombay, collapsed suddenly owing to heavy rain. Six persons were sleeping in it at the time, of whom four escaped unhurt and the remaining two were seriously injured. One of the injured men, whose name is Bafati Jagan, died yesterday morning. The other man who is a dyer is being treated at the J. J. Hospital.

A crack was observed in the wall of a house in Anant Wady. The tenants vacated the house on receiving a warning from the Municipality. The house belonged to one Kalyanji Keshowji. A crack was also noticed in the wall of a house in Khoja Street.

At Naoroji Hill a portion of the south wall of an old three-storeyed house collapsed on Tuesday evening, but fortunately none of the inmates was injured. The house was owned by one Currim Ebrahim. A portion of a wall of a two-storeyed house in Koliwada at Dharavi gave way the same evening. The ground floor was used as a liquor shop; while the two upper storeys were unoccupied. No one was injured.

The crack in the Gibbs Road has extended across the road owing to the heavy rain and the whole road was closed to traffic yesterday.

The steamship "City of Madras" arrived in Bombay on Tuesday with four of her Native crew badly injured. The ship was on a voyage from Bassein (Burma) to Antwerp. On the 14th instant while she was in the Arabian Sea she experienced very rough weather and as the crew were rebinding the fore-topmast stay sail, the ship shipped a heavy sea, four of the men were knocked down against the fitting on deck. On the arrival of the ship the injured men were taken to the Goculdas Tejpal Hospital.

Yesterday morning a derailment occurred at the Andheri station of the B. B. and C. I. Railway, dislocating the traffic for some time. It appears that the engine of the first local train was crossing the main line to get to a siding when it slipped off the rails blocking both the lines. The running of the local trains was in consequence greatly disorganised. Special trains were, however, run between Bandra and Colaba. The traffic was completely restoredafter three hours. The Ahmedabad mail train was late by about an hour and a half owingto the derailment.

JAPANESE STEAMER OVERDUE.

THE Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamer "Kagoshima Maru," which left Colombo on the morning of the 13th instant, and was expected to arrive on the 16th is now overdue in Bombay three days. She left Moji on the 18th May last, under the command of Captain K. Kori, with a general cargo. On inquiry at the Company's offices we were informed that no information has been received since she left Colombo except that she left on the 13th June. The vessels leaving the port have been asked to keep a look out for the overdue steamer. It is surmised that the vessel must have met with bad weather which has been prevailing since Saturday.

THE WEATHER AT SEA.

The B. I. S. N. Co's steamer "Bulimba" Captain J. S. Reddock, which arrived here on the 18th inst. from the Persian Gulf via Karachi, experienced thick misty weather and heavy sea from Karachi.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

	Byculla.	Esplanade.	Fort.
	In Cts.	In. Cts.	In. Cts.
Previously registered	14 33	14 07	13 95
Wednesday, 19th June, 1907..	7 11	8 20	8 70
Total....	21 44	22 27	22 65

MESSRS. KEMP AND CO.

CUMBALLA HILL, JUNE 19.

Rainfall up to 8 a.m.

	Last 24 Hours.		Total to Date.	
	In.	Cents.	In.	Cents.
Cumballa Hill	5	80	13	40

BY TELEGRAPH.

SIMLA, JUNE 19.

The cyclonic storm of which the centre was close to Sangor Island yesterday morning passed over Calcutta in a northerly direction and is now about a hundred and fifty miles inland. It has given strong winds on the Coast and moderate to heavy rain in Deltaic Bengal, but is decreasing in intensity and is likely to move somewhat further northwards before filling up. The winds on the northwest coast are still affected by the storm in the Arabian Sea. Rainfall occurred as far north as Kurrachee.

In the northeast of India and Orissa, no information has been received from Assam, but in the remainder of the Division, rainfall has been nearly general, the principal amounts being Chittagong 1 inch, Saugor Island 2 inches, Calcutta 3, Jessore and Berhampore 2, Bogra 3, Burdwan 1¼, Patna 1/2 Gaya ¼, Darjeeling 2, Jalpaiguri 1, Dinajpur 2, Chaibassa and Hazaribagh 1 1/2, Balasore 3, and False Point 2 inches. The skies are completely overcast throughout the Division, Humidity is normal and the temperature normal or in defect.

In the United Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces, Hoshangabad and Nagpur had 1 1/2 inches of rain, Nagpur 1 and Gorakhpur a light fall. The skies remain clear in the extreme west of the United Provinces and moderately to thickly clouded elsewhere while humidity remains normal or in slight defect and the temperature nearly normal.

In the north-west of India, Kurrachi reports 1/2 an inch of rain, Hyderabad ¼, Bhuj 1, Rajkot 1 1/4 and Surat 1 inch. The skies are thickly clouded in Rajputana, Gujarat and Sind and are clear elsewhere. Humidity is nearly normal except in the Punjab where the air is drier than usual and the temperature below normal in parts of Kashmir Lower Sind and Cutch, and above normal in the north-east of Rajputana and approximately normal elsewhere.

In the Peninsula, rainfall has been nearly general in the west Division, the principal amounts being —Malegaon and Belgaum 1 1/2 inches, Aurangabad, 1, Bombay 7, Ratnagiri 2, Goa 1, Mormagao 1/2, Karwar and Mercara 1/2, Calicut 3 inches. The skies are moderately to thickly clouded and humidity is normal while the temperature remains low in the neighbourhood of Cocanada but nearly normal elsewhere.

Nearly general rain is likely in the north-east of India, and in the western districts of the Peninsula local rain in Gujarat and a few falls in the Central portions of the Peninsula.

CYCLONIC WEATHER IN CALCUTTA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, JUNE 19.

The disturbed weather in the head of the Bay, which has been hovering about for several days near the Orissa Coast, declared itself yesterday and proved to be a storm of great intensity, which was approaching Saugor Island.

There were no telegrams from the Steam Pilot vessel *Fraser*, nor from Diamond Island or Port Blair. So news was scanty.

Storm Signal No. 8 was ordered to be lowered at daylight yesterday and was replaced by Signal No. 9, which is a danger signal.

It is still cloudy, but blowing less severely.

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER NOTIFICATION.

All Rangoon direct wires and two *via* Assam are interrupted.

Traffic for Burma will suffer delay.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY, 19TH JUNE.

STATIONS.	Pressure at 8 A.M.	WIND. Directions.	WIND. Average hours.	TEMPERATURE IN SHADE. Maximum of past 24 hours.	TEMPERATURE IN SHADE. Minimum of past 24 hours.	RAINFALL. Humidity.	RAINFALL. Past 24 hours.	RAINFALL. Since 1st November to date.	RAINFALL. Variation, 1st Nov to date.
Bushire	29·435	NW	16	87·1	80·9	20	....	0·00	0·00
Jask	29·461	ESE	20	90·8	85·3	74	....	0·00	—0·11
Muscat	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Aden	29·07	SE	8	92·8	85·8	67	....	0·0	0·00
Lahore	29·494	E	5	106·2	83·4	14	....	0·02	—0·21
Sirsa	29·491	WNW	6	111·3	87·6	46	....	0·00	—0·80
Delhi	29·525	SE	7	105·2	85·2	39	....	0·00	—1·23
Agra	29·527	SE	6	105·0	89·0	47	....	0·01	—0·98
Cawnpore	29·551	SE	8	100·0	81·8	54	....	0·06	—1·76
Allahabad	29·562	SE	4	100·6	79·0	60	....	0·22	—1·29
Jhansi	29·548	WSW	6	102·2	86·2	71	....	0·02	—2·18
Jacobabad	29·543	S	5	110·6	87·1	50	....	1·74	plus 1·74
Karachi	29·554	E	15	99·8	76·2	83	0·74	1·41	plus 1·39
Joppore	29·536	WNW	7	108·7	82·1	57	0·02	0·48	—0·69
Ajmere	29·628	SW	12	103·1	84·3	67	....	0·00	—0·96
Deesa	29·649	SSW	19	99·8	79·4	73	....	0·63	—0·01
Ahmedabad	29·657	SSW	11	96·6	81·7	73	....	2·31	—1·03
Bhuj	29·609	SSE	21	95·1	74·0	99	1·20	2·19	plus 1·43
Jamnagar	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Dwarka	29·590	SSE	23	86·3	80·2	86	0·07	....	....
Rajkot	29·642	S	11	94·9	78·7	61	0·35	2·24	—0·08
Bhavnagar Para.	29·598	SW	11	92·6	79·5	73	0·03	2·14	—1·08
Veraval	29·539	SSW	23	84·6	80·3	88	0·02	2·31	—1·16
Neemuch	29·674	WSW	13	96·5	77·6	69	0·05	0·61	—1·23
Indore	29·675	W	9	97·6	76·1	63	....	2·19	—1·47
Saugor	29·533	WNW	10	102·6	76·5	58	....	0·14	—1·16
Jubbulpore	29·502	WSW	6	102·0	77·3	81	....	0·16	—1·87
Hoshangabad ..	29·649	WNW	10	102·8	74·3	85	1·61	3·10	—1·01
Khandwa	29·663	NW	11	101·7	83·1	92	....	0·40	—2·33
Raipur	29·592	SW	15	98·7	79·4	73	....	1·04	—2·39
Nagpur	29·617	SW	11	99·6	74·6	78	1·22	2·22	—2·33
Amraoti	29·653	NW	16	99·7	76·8	74	....	0·33	+1·01
Akola	29·654	S	13	98·8	77·9	71	....	2·87	—0·05
Surat	29·581	ESE	11	87·1	76·6	93	0·90	4·2	4·03
Malegaon	29·730	WSW	9	91·4	74·8	87	1·20	3·81	plus 0·72
Bombay	29·718	WSW	13	87·7	79·4	87	0·62	12·66	+3·77
Poona	29·772	W	8	88·4	69·8	86	0·15	4·37	plus 1·29
Ahmednagar ..	29·752	SW	10	89·9	71·0	85	0·13	3·47	—0·43
Aurangabad ..	29·755	W	14	90·2	70·7	85	1·01	2·51	....
Sholapur	29·772	SW	18	87·7	73·0	87	....	1·71	—1·45
Ratnagiri	29·712	SW	14	92·8	75·4	85	2·11	11·45	+0·11
Bijapur	29·733	SW	6	88·7	70·2	89	0·08	0·94	—2·49
Belgaum	29·788	WSW	..	79·3	65·8	95	1·60	4·07	—1·30
Mormugao	29·786	NW	12	82·6	76·4	96	0·65	18·86	plus 1·99
Karwar	29·795	SW	8	85·7	75·8	98	1·40	21·28	—2·35
Mangalore	29·847	WSW	8	87·4	75·4	81	0·36	17·93	—3·08
Calicut	29·871	F	9	89·2	73·2	90	2·76	30·53	+5·75
Cochin	29·861	N	9	90·4	74·8	86	0·69	21·84	+2·27
Bangalore	29·748	W	15	78·7	66·6	74	0·91	7·69	+0·57
Hyderabad (Deccan).	29·759	W	9	91·5	73·2	79	0·03	1·88	—1·05
Masulipatam...	29·738	W	9	90·0	77·6	77	....	6·01	+2·85
Bellary	29·808	WSW	11	93·0	75·2	73	0·01	3·63	plus 2·37
Cuddapah	29·779	W	6	97·2	79·0	59	....	0·41	—1·53
Madras	29·789	WSW	8	99·0	82·6	69	....	1·28	plus 0·46
Coimbatore	29·797	W	8	97·0	71·6	67	....	3·17	+0·99
Trichinopoly ..	29·823	SSW	8	96·6	79·3	63	....	0·30	—0·61
Negapatam	29·825	SW	7	93·2	79·5	61	....	0·05	+0·09
Colombo	29·911	SW	5	87·0	77·5	83	....	0·17	0·14

In column WIND "Rate per hour" L = Light, M = Moderate S = Strong, H = Heavy, F = Fresh.

Bombay Local Rainfalls:—J J H = 7·11 (21·44); G T H = 8·70 (22·27); S G H = 8·20 (22·18); C P = 0·62 (19·06).

SUMMARY.

Pressure has risen over a large area, the rise having been brisk to rapid in Lower Sind, Rajputana, Gujarat, and at Khandwa, Malegaon, Ahmednagar, Aurangabad, Sholapur, Ratnagiri, Hyderabad (Deccan), Masulipatam and Bellary.

Winds are south-easterly in the Punjab and United Provinces while they are cyclonic on the Cutch, Kathiawar and Sind Coasts and south-westerly to north-westerly in most other places. The force has been strong to a gale at Dwarka, Bhuj, Deesa and Veraval, fresh to strong at Amraoti, Sholapur and Ratnagiri and moderate to light elsewhere.

Temperature.—The maximum is 5° to 7° in defect of normal at Coimbatore, Masulipatam, Bangalore and Sholapur and 5° to 10° in excess at Khandwa, Hoshangabad, Jubbulpore, Saugor, Ajmere, Jaipur, Karachi, Jhansi and Sirsa; minimum 6° in defect at Karachi. The highest temperature in the shade was 111° at Jacobabad and the lowest 66° at Belgaum.

Cloud and Humidity.—The sky is cloudy in several places.

Rain has fallen along the Coast from Cochin to Bombay and also at Bellary, Hyderabad (Deccan), Bangalore, Belgaum Bijapur, Aurangabad, Ahmednagar, Poona, Malegaon, Surat, Nagpur, Hoshangabad, Veraval, Bhuj, Bhavnagar, Rajkot, Dwarka, Neemuch, Jaipur and Karachi. The principal falls are 6·62" at Bombay, 2·70" at Calicut, 2·15" at Ratnagiri and between one and two inches at Bhuj, Karwar, Belgaum, Aurangabad, Malegaon, Nagpur and Hoshangabad.

Weather.—The disturbance mentioned in yesterday's report continues to pass westwards. Weather along the Coast continue favourable for rain.

N. LESLIE,
Meteorological Reporter for Western India.

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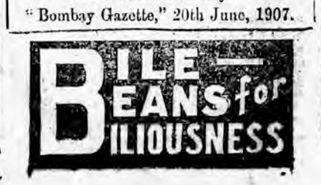

SPORTING NEWS.

FOOTBALL.

The Harwood League.

After the postponement of the games on Monday and Tuesday, it turned out sufficiently fine yesterday for the Rovers to meet the Royal Scots "B" on the Cooperage. There were a good many out to see the game and chairs were provided for members, but they all had to make a rush for cover when the rain came towards the end of the game. It was expected to be an uneven affair, but one was scarcely prepared for a double figure score after the half time whistle arriving at a goal to nil.

Owing to the lateness of the civilian team's members, due, we believe, to some hitch in their being informed, the game did not start till after 6.

It was only on one or two occasions in the first half that the Rovers managed to cross the half way line, and then their forwards were too weak to do much. The game had not been long in progress when Newbigging put in a nice run passing Scrafton and Hotz and giving to Parkes. He took a shot which went off Phillips who was in goal, not in football attire, and came out to Newbigging who scored easily. When they next came up Fox and Chapman cleared to Green on the left and he gave in to Spilling, but he lost it, and they were driven back. Though off-side, Parkes put in a nice run and centre but Ross just failed to get to it. Ross next gave a beautifully judged pass to Wright, who got down and centred. Newbigging got on and gave to McIntosh who put it through, but he was given off-side, the referee apparently not seeing Fox who made the second player in front of him as well as the custodian. Soon after, the half time whistle arrived with the Scots leading by a goal to nil.

The second half was nothing but a sequence of goals to the Scots who foressed throughout.

Parks getting on on the left wing, passed Hotz who slipped, and literally dribbled into goal. He again came up and gave in to Newbegging who shot left-footed into the left corner. A fourth came after a run and centre by Wright. McIntosh and Parkes were waiting almost in the goal mouth and the former scored, though from an off-side, to make up for the disallowing of his goal in the first half. Ross next sent in a nice pass to McIntosh who easily ran it through. The sixth came after a pass across by Parkes. Wright got on and sent in a grand high angular shot.

With the others well up, Ross gave in and McIntosh scored, and the next moment Wright got away and gave to Ross. He shot and Phillips running out fumbled and let McIntosh in for a soft one. Rain now came downbut soon ceased, and Wright sending in, McIntosh again scored his fifth goal. On full time, Newbigging got away and sent in a hard one which came off the cross bar; Ross got on and lobbed it across for Parkes to head in. Time followed, leaving the Scots now with a bigger goal average than that of the Gymkhana in their two soft matches.

Royal Scots "B"	10 Goals.
Rovers.....	Nil.

Tac table stands:—

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals. For	Agst.	Pts.
Royal Scots "B"	2	2	0	0	11	0	4
R. Gymkhana	2	2	0	0	8	0	4
Royal Scots A	1	1	0	0	4	0	2
R. G. S.	1	1	0	0	4	0	2
Govt. Telegraph	2	1	1	0	3	3	2
Rovers.....	3	0	3	0	2	17	0
Y. M. C. A.....	2	0	2	0	0	8	0
Customs	1	0	1	0	0	4	0

POONA BOXING TOURNAMENT.

Fourth Night.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JUNE 19.

The fourth night was quite as well attended as the previous nights. No fewer than 21 fights were marked down, but a few of them did not come off The following was the order of fighting:—

FEATHER WEIGHTS.

3rd Round.

Pte. Keneally, East Lancs., *vs.* Gr. Rogers, 8th Battery, R. F. A. With a deal of hard hitting Keneally had much the better of three rounds, and won.

Lce.-Corpl. Bennings, Worcesters, *vs.* Driver Rogers, R. F. A. After a good fight Hennings won by a slender margin.

Pte. Copeland, Royal Scots, *vs.* Pte. Gaffney, Connaughts. Gaffney being sick was unable to turn up and Copeland got a walk over.

Pte. Walsh, East Lancs., *vs.* Pte. McCann, Connaught Rangers. McCann put up an exceedingly good fight and won.

Pte. Jukes, Worcesters, *vs.* Pte. Byrne, Connaughts. Byrne fought Jukes up to the hilt till the second round, but fell away in the third. Jukes won.

Pte. Lyons, East Lancs., *vs.* Pt. O'Brien, Connaught Rangers. O'Brien knocked his man out in the first round with a smack across the ribs.

Pte. Ryan, Worcesters, *vs.* Pte. Yates, East Lancs. Yates curled Ryan up in the first round with a rib roaster and won.

Pte. Byrne, Connaughts, *vs.* Pte. Walker, East Lancs. There was a tremendous amount of hard hitting all through. Walker went down several times and was finally counted out,

MIDDLE WEIGHTS.

2nd Round.

Corpl. Edwards, Worcesters, *vs.* Pte. Cornthwaite, East Lancs. Cornthwaite not having turned up Edwards had a walk over.

Sergt. Flaherty, East Lancs., *vs.* Gunner Dempsey, 8th Batt., R. F. A. The three rounds were characterized by sledge-hammering, and eventually Dempsey won.

Corpl. Duckworth, East Lancs., *vs.* Gr. Greenwood, 12th Battery, R. F. A. Duckworth flattened out his opponent a minute after the first round opened with a thundering jab on the jaw.

Bombr. Boswell, 8th Battery, R. F. A., *vs.* Pte. Wood, Leicesters. Boswell threw up the sponge in the first round.

LIGHT WEIGHTS.

2nd Round.

Pte. Swadkins, Connaughts, *vs.* Gr. Strudurck, R. F. A. Strudurck tendered his resignation to Swadkins in the third round.

Pte. Gardiner, East Lancs., *vs.* Pte. Eden, Worcesters. Eden put his thumb out and was obliged to retire in the second round.

LIGHT WEIGHTS.

3rd Round.

Sergt. Malone, Worcesters, *vs.* Gr. Kelk, 4th Batt. R. F. A. The Worcester man held a distinct advantage in all the three rounds and won.

Gr. Firmstone, 8th Batt., R. F. A., *vs.* Pte. Else, Worcesters. Firmstone won after a rattling good bout.

Pte. Winkles, Leicesters, *vs.* Pte. Wadham, East Lancs. Wadham had his man finished in the first round.

Gr. Colley, 8th Battery, R. F. A., *vs.* Driver Miles, 2nd Batt., R. F. A. Colley put his thumb out in the first round and retired.

HEAVY WEIGHTS.

Semi-final.

Corpl. Sloane, East Lancs., *vs.* Pte. Hart, Connaughts. Hart put out his thumb in the second round and retired.

Gr. Turner, 8th Batt, R. F. A., *vs.* Pte. Stewart East Lancs. Stewart was knocked out in the first round,

WRESTLING.

Only one Wrestling match came off in the semi-final between Sepoy Luxminon Samgir, 103rd Infantry, and Sepoy Ganpat Jadhu, 121st Pioneers. It lasted 20 minutes and both men were disqualified for not having finished in time.

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THE NATIVE PRESS.

MR. MORLEY'S BUDGET SPEECH.

The *Indian Spectator* observes:—Last year Mr Morley distinctly stated that one of the subjects to be considered by Lord Minto's Committee would be the extension of the time allowed for the discussion of the Budget, and we except that something must have been said on this concession. An important privilege, for which the Congress has all along fought, is that of moving resolutions and dividing the council on the Financial Statement. It is possible that Mr. Morley had no reform to announce in this direction: Rueter could not have failed to appreciate the importance of a change of so momentous a character, if it had been announced. Mr. O'Donnell must have "talked out" the motion for the appointment of a Royal Commission to inquire into the causes of the unrest in India, because he knew what would be the fate of such a motion. Mr. Morley apparently sees more good in small Committees and Commissions to investigate isolated questions than in an omnibus Commission, which might attempt much and achieve little.

The *Parsi* writes:—Last week we characterised Mr. Morley's Budget speech both in statement and in promise, as on the whole good. If it does not hold out big promises it ought to satisfy us at least to some extent Of course, there will be the inevitable growls from Calcutta. But we have ceased to look for political wisdom on the banks of the Hooghly. The claims of educated India are to be consulted by the formation of a Council of Notables, the admission of one or two Indians to the India Council, and the enlargement of the Provincial and Imperial Legislative Councils. As to the first we may say that the idea, though excellent in theory, will hardly turn out successful in practice, as long as the Government of India is carried on in the spirit of cold indifference to public opinion. So long as the Government officials believe in their infallibility, we see no prospect of this advisory council achieving anything more than what has been achieved by the native unofficial element in our Legislative Councils. However, we repeat, the idea is excellent, and there will be no harm in giving it a trial. As to the admission of a small number of Indians to the India Council, we have nothing but praise for a step which required some amount of courage on the part of the Secretary of State.

REPRESSIVE MEASURES IN INDIA.

The *Indian Spectator* remarks:—The British public cannot be expected to follow the details of the circumstances which call for repressive measures. Mr. Morley has to make up for the paucity of details by philosophic generalisations. It seems that the grant of free speech and of the free right of public meeting, alongside of personal government, is one of the most difficult experiments ever tried in human history. Even in England free speech and free right of public meeting have been secured only recently. It may be doubted whether it is personal government that comes in the way of granting those privileges with impunity. Even in a democratic State, if free speech and the right of public meeting are abused by particular individuals, and the tranquility of the State is disturbed or threatened, the Government, we imagine, would take the necessary steps to remedy the evil. The experiment in India has not so far produced any results unknown to the history of other countries. Riots are not more frequent in India than they are elsewhere. Free speech enables men to discuss their grievances freely and to combine for the purpose of obtaining redress. Whether the Government is personal or otherwise, wherever there are grievances we must expect the right of free speech to be used for the purpose of devising the most efficacious method of removing them. Personal Government has existed in India for so many decades, as also the right of free speech. Why should we hear so much of

BY THE WAY.

EXIT CROSBY HALL.

CROSBY HALL, which is soon to disappear to make way for a bank, has few rivals even among City buildings in the richness and variety of its historic associations. Built by Sir John Crosby, grocer and woolstapler, about 1470, when Edward IV. was King, it had for one of its earliest tenants that prince of intriguers Richard, Duke of Gloucester, who established his almost regal Court there, and in its Council Chamber received the offer of the crown. A little later it became the official home of successive Lord Mayors of London. Princess Katharine of Arragon was entertained within its walls on the eve of her marriage to Prince Arthur; and through its door, so it is said, young Lord Compton carried off "rich Spencer's" heiress in a flat-topped baker's basket. For some years Crosby Hall sheltered Sir Thomas More. In later years the Hall has served as a prison, a Presbyterian chapel, a warehouse, and a restaurant.

NEW REGULATIONS FOR FOREIGN OFFICE EXAMINATIONS.

In the course of his address to the members of the Royal Geographical Society Sir George Taubman Goldie mentioned that after this month geography would cease to be a subject which candidates for the Foreign Office might select even voluntarily. In the past geography had been one of the nine obligatory subjects in the examinations for clerkships on the Foreign Office establishment, but after July 1 (when the new regulations come into force) this important subject will cease to be either obligatory or optional. Not only so, but in future only French and German will be obligatory on candidates, who will otherwise have thirty-two optional subjects.

GEOGRAPHICAL IGNORANCE IN HIGH PLACES.

The intention seems to be to obtain students who have specialised in some one subject, and to exclude those who "cram" a superficial all-round knowledge. It is strange, however, that a subject so essential to the Foreign Office as geography should be quite barred. Some years ago Sir George Goldie himself prevented a territorial arrangement between this country and France which was not to our advantage, though our Foreign officials (owing to confusing the Paris and Greenwich meridians) were quite satisfied. The little French colony of Chandernagore, near Calcutta, owes its existence to a Foreign Office belief that it was in America, and everybody has heard of the Whitehall official who addressed a letter to "Ottawa, Ontario, United States of America!"

WHERE RAILWAYS BEAT THE POST OFFICE.

The *Railway Magazine* shows how parcels can be consigned cheaper by rail than by the parcel post. At owners' risk rate by passenger train one can send a parcel weighing 48lb. thirty miles for 6d. To send the same weight by parcel post would necessitate the consignment being made into five packages, and the postage would be 4s. 2d. For an additional 1d. the weight could be increased to 56lbs. by passenger train, but to carry the 56lbs. by parcel post the postage of the six packages would be 4s. 10d. By distance, a passenger train parcel weighing 11lbs. will be conveyed from, say, Carlisle to Penzance for 11d.; whilst by parcel post the charge would be 1s 3d. With greater weights the railway rates are still more favourable. Thus, 24lb., railway, 1s. 3d.; parcel post, 2s. 2d.; 35lb., railway, 1s. 10d.; parcel post, 3s. 1d.

BY AID OF LOTTERIES.

Now that a large sum of money is being expended upon the work of widening one of London's principal bridges—Blackfriars—it is interesting to recall how the money was raised for the purpose of bridge-building in London in the "good old times." In 1736 an Act was passed for building a bridge at Westminster, and authorising a lottery of 125,000 tickets at £5 each for the purpose. This scheme was so far successful it is recorded, that Parliament sanctioned other lotteries in succession until Westminster Bridge was completed. It was by means of a State lottery, too, that the funds for establishing the British Museum were raised! An Act of 1753 authorised the raising of £300,000 by such means for this purpose. In this case a large number of the tickets were fraudulently "cornered" and sold at a premium, by which means an enterprising gentleman is said to have made something like £10,000.

THE DOUAY BIBLE.

Irrespective of their religious denomination, Englishmen generally will feel interested in the announcement that a new issue of the Roman Catholic edition of the Scriptures is in preparation. The Papally authorised version of the Bible for English readers is due to British-born subjects of the Vatican. In 1568 the English College for Roman Catholics was founded at Douay by William Allen, a Lancashire man first Fellow of Oriel, 1550, then Principal of St. Mary's Hall. Exiled from England, he settled first in the Low Countries, then in France, and finally in Rome, where he died a Cardinal, October 1594. In 1582 the New Testament had been published at Rhiems. Just a generation later the Old Testament was added. The entire Bible for Roman Catholics in the English tongue began to exist at Douay in 1609.

OTHER SCRIPTURAL TEXTS.

The Latin Vulgate (*vulgatum*) of course supplied the foundation of the Douay Bible. The Vulgate itself was first declared canonical by the Council of Trent in 1546. It had been executed in the fourth Christian century, chiefly by or under the supervision of St. Jerome, the best Christian Latinist of this day. The oldest copy of the Hebrew Scriptures was the Codex Hillel, the property of Toledo, made, as some think, 60 B.C. The Alexandrian Codex, now in the British Museum, certainly existed in the fifth century, and was given in 1628 to Charles I. by the Greek Patriarch. The Greek Septuagint, the original of the Latin Vulgate, had been executed by command of Ptolemy Philadelphus, King of Egypt, 285 B. C.

OTHER ENGLISH TRANSLATIONS.

The earliest English rendering, or rather paraphrase, of the Inspired Writings is that to be seen to-day in the Oxford Bodleian, dated 1290. Wycliff's Englished selections belong to the second half of the fourteenth century. The Geneva version, best known as "the Breeches Bible," appeared in the sixteenth century. So did Miles Coverdale's issue, as well as the "Bishops' Bible," edited by Archbishop Parker, with an episcopal staff of fourteen, in 1568. Finally, the latest revised version now in use is that sanctioned by the committee of polyglot divines and scholars which began its meetings at Westminister, June 22, 1870.

HUMMING-BIRDS IN LONDON.

Considerable interest is excited by the humming-birds now on view at the Zoological Gardens. Fifty-three of these tiny, fragile birds were taken on board from Venezuela; many died on the voyage, but the fittest survived and twenty reached Regent's Park alive. At the time of writing seventeen are shown in two large glass cages furnished with flowering plants and placed in the Insect House, which can be kept at a high temperature. Moths in a cage near look bigger than these small birds. It is to be hoped that these dainty feathered gems may take kindly to their new surroundings, and live long to delight the eyes of many dwellers in smoky London.

THE OPIUM HABIT IN NORTH FORMOSA.

Mr. A. M. Chalmers, the British Consul in North Formosa, states in his latest report to the Foreign Office that the number of opium smokers in his district appears to be slightly decreasing, there having been 123,650 at the end of 1906, against 131,272 in December 1905. This decrease however appears to be mainly among the poorer classes, as among smokers of first-class opium there has been an increase, and there is little diminution in the actual value of the opium consumed. It is estimated that 4 per cent. of the native Chinese are smokers, the proportions in the two sexes being 1 male in every 14 and 1 female in every 100.

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MEN AND MATTERS.

A ROYAL "HANDY-MAN."

Prince Arthur of Connaught, who represented King Edward at the christening of the Prince of Asturias, and who had the honour of being chosen to reply at the State banquet for all the foreign princes assembled in Madrid, has been aptly called the "handy-man" of the Royal Family. He is only twenty-four, but already he has represented his Majesty at a remarkable number of important State ceremonies, such as the christening of the little Italian Crown Prince, and that of the son and heir of the German Crown Prince, as well as at a number of Royal funerals. Most important of all in a political sense was his visit to Japan to invest the Mikado with the Order of the Garter—the visit which Prince Fushimi has just been returning.

AN ELIGIBLE ROYAL BACHELOR.

Prince Arthur, who is regarded with feelings of special affection by King Edward, is certainly one of the most eligible of Royal bachelors, and the question of his marriage is one of deep interest, not only to his Royal kinsfolk, but also to the whole nation. It would not, perhaps, be surprising if he were to woo and win a Princess of the Imperial House of Russia, with which our own Royal Family has already such close links. His name was associated, some time ago, with the pretty and brilliantly gifted daughter of a great British duke. The Prince goes a great deal into general society, he is fond of dancing, and is a fine horseman. His most intimate man friend is young Lord Hastings, with whom, in the latter's bachelor days, he shared a house at Norwich.

ASSASSINS OF ROYALTY.

The recent diabolical plot to murder the Tsar and the infant Cesarewitch, by means of two tiny infernal machines, the size of watches, reminds us that Royal personages, as well as heads of Republics, are in constant danger of such attempts. It is said, indeed, that they become fatalists as the only way of preserving their peace of mind. King Humbert of Italy always had a startled expression in his eyes from the day that he escaped almost unhurt from Passanti's dagger at Naples until he was shot by Bresci more than twenty years later. King Edward's life has only been attempted once—by Sipido at Brussels—but Queen Victoria suffered five attacks, all by shooting. It is a curious fact that, on the whole, Presidents have been quite as often the object of attacks as Monarchs. Presidents Lincoln, Garfield, and McKinley of the United States, were all murdered, as was also President Carnot, while one has quite lost count of the number of South American Presidents who have been "removed."

THE WATCHING OF ROYALTY.

The watching of Royalty is an art in itself, which constantly occupied some of the keenest intelligences in the secret police service of Europe. People who denounce the police whenever some notable personage falls a victim to an assassin have no idea how constantly such attempts are foiled. The gallant young King of Spain, who has won for himself a high place in our affections, was more than once in terrible danger even in his babyhood. It is not generally known that when he was a child a woman Anarchist, most carefully dressed to represent an inoffensive lady with a taste for travelling, was despatched to San Sebastian to murder the boy King and his mother. The merest accident, some trifling detail which aroused the suspicion of an unusually alert detective, caused the woman to be stopped and turn back on the French frontier. If she had once succeeded in getting into Spain, she would almost certainly have accomplished her hideous mission. An apparent accident again saved the King from a terrible death on the occasion of his marriage; the true story has, we believe, never before been told. An Anarchist who had been commissioned to throw a bomb at the King actually obtained a ticket for a specially good place in the church on the pretext that he represented a Cuban newspaper. Most fortunately the ticket was at the last moment withdrawn and transferred to a wealthy tourist, who offered a very large price for it. Lombroso, the great Italian criminologist, declares that the assassins of Royalty have a special sort of hand—heavy, thick, and coarse, with fingers almost equal in length, and the thumb set low down.

PRINCE AND PRINCESS GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS.

Prince and Princess Gustavus Adolphus of Sweden, who are about to pay another visit to England, are very popular wherever they go. As Princess Margaret of Connaught, the Duchess of Skaane—to give her her Swedish title—went out a great deal in society, Princess "Daisy," as she was always called in the intimate family circle, is extremely pretty, though she has not the wistfulness of expression and the little drooping mouth of her younger sister, Princess "Patsy." Both sisters have a great love of un-cut precious stones, of which they have made a large and valuable collection. It is not generally known that Princess Daisy in all probability owes her life to the late Queen Victoria. Her Royal Highness was born at Bagshot, when the house was hardly ready for occupation, the drains being defective; and when the Duchess of Connaught developed serious symptoms the Queen simply insisted there and then on moving the young mother and babe to Windsor, although it was fifteen miles away. Princess Gustavus Adolphus is a fair musician, but is on the whole more an outdoor than an indoor girl. Both she and her sister used to play hockey constantly, both in Ireland and in England, and they are excellent horsewomen. This is more important perhaps than it seems, for the climate of Sweden is undoubtedly trying, and nothing has given her Royal Highness's future subjects more pleasure than to see how strong she is. It was touching to note how warmly they welcomed her. Both Queen Sophie and the Crown Princess have been invalids for a long time, and oddly enough, both King Oscar and his heir have no daughters, but only sons. Princess Gustavus Adolphus's position at the Swedish Court is therefore one of exceptional prominence, the only lady of about her own age being her sister-in-law, Princess Carl.

AN ACCOMPLISHED PRINCE.

Prince Gustavus Adolphus is nearly a year younger than his wife, though he looks much older. He is tall and slight, with quite and dignified manners, and, like all the members of his family, he is passionately devoted to painting and sculpture, as well as music and literature. He is an exceptionally good judge of pictures, old furniture, and *bric-a-brac*. Even for a Royal personage he is an exceptionally accomplished linguist, and, at the same time, he is as fond of an outdoor life as his wife is; indeed, he is a marvellous shot. Some years ago, when shooting under difficult weather conditions in Germany, he brought down six stags and one doe in seven shots. His shooting was the admiration of Cairo, where, by the way, he fell in love at first sight with the sweet and charming Princess Margaret. The Prince is also a marvellous ski-runner, and does not disdain the sport of motoring.

PICTURE BEAUTIES OF 1907.

There comes a happy moment in the career of every great portrait painter when the leading beauties of the hour desire to be immortalised by him and by no other. That time came for Mr. Sargent some four or five years ago, and each succeeding year has seen added to the long and wonderful list of his portraits of women some half-dozen lovely sisters of world-wide interest and fame. 1907 is no exception to the rule, and although Mr. Sargent is represented by no such marvellous groups as those which formed the leading attraction of three successive picture shows at Burlington House, he has never been represented by so many noteworthy and widely differing sitters as he has this year.

THE PORTRAIT OF THE YEAR.

Both from the artistic and from the social point of view, the most striking portrait of the year contributed to the Academy by the great Anglo-American painter is that of Lady Sassoon, which has been hailed a masterpiece by all the critics, and which occupies the place of honour in the large gallery. The artist has chosen to paint this beautiful daughter of Israel habited in shimmering black; indeed, the picture might well be termed "a symphony in sable," for the painter's art has marvellously differentiated the black colouring of the enveloping gown, of the sweeping ostrich feathers which compose her becoming headgear, and of the fathomless dark background. The only tints of colour in this large picture are provided by the flesh tints of the sitter's face and hands, and by the glimpses caught of the salmon-pink lining of her cloak; while perhaps the highest note of light is given by the glimmer of the pearls, of which the perfect lustre is amazingly conveyed, hanging in festoons over the sitter's breast. Lady Sassoon was before her marriage Mademoiselle Aline Rothschild, a daughter of the French head of the Paris branch of the clan. Her marriage to the then Mr. Edward Sassoon, godson and favourite younger friend of our present Sovereign, took place just twenty years ago, and was one of the most magnificent weddings ever celebrated in Paris. Some few years ago Sir Edward purchased the house originally built by Mr. Barney Barnato. This place, for palace it is, stands at the corner of Park Lane and Great Stanhope Street, and the site alone cost fifty thousand pounds. Lady Sassoon has all the Rothschild traditions of hospitality, and is among the most successful of London hostesses. She dresses, as might be supposed from Mr. Sargent's masterpiece, in at once a sober and a magnificent fashion, and is greatly interested in both art and music.

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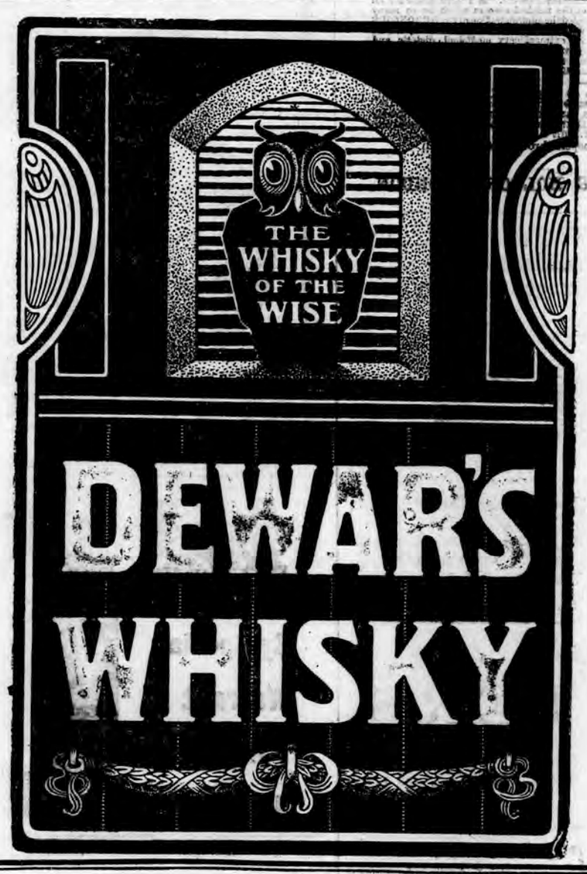

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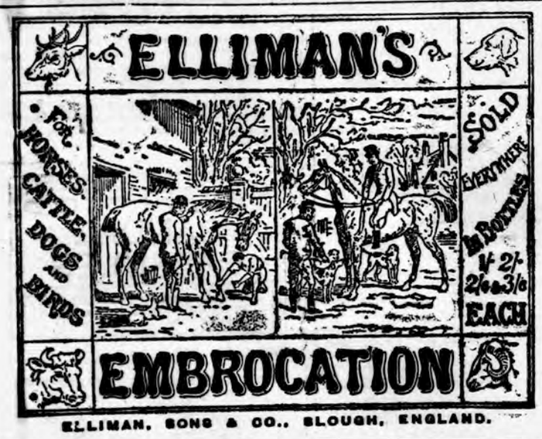

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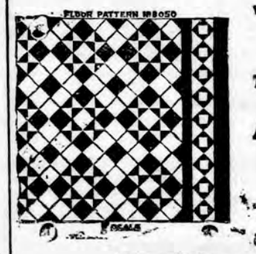

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